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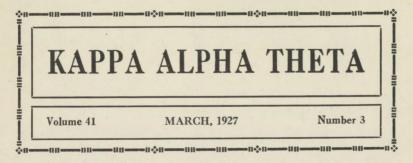
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"Learn to accept a thing once done, as done; we must take the consequences, but there's no sense in debating it as though it were still to do, and I am disinclined to pass judgment on the doers."

Helen of Troy in Erskine's book



A MILLION DOLLAR CORPORATION

Did you know that your fraternity, Kappa Alpha Theta, has become a million dollar corporation?

To be sure, no one Kappa Alpha Theta entity owns that much property, but the sum total of the property owned by subsidiary Kappa Alpha Theta incorporated companies (chapters) goes

beyond the million mark.

The largest single investment is Delta's house at the University of Illinois, value, \$90,000.00; next comes Tau's house at Northwestern University, now under construction, to cost \$85,000.00; then Psi's house at the University of Wisconsin, costing \$74,800.00 (46% of which was paid in cash from the sale of the old house which had been free of debt for several years).

Here is a list of valuations for chapter houses owned by Kappa Alpha Theta today, December 31, 1926. To be sure, there are outstanding bonds or mortgages of different amounts on all of these houses except Phi's, but there is no reason to assume that payments of such will not be met as they fall due. And, doesn't most every privately owned house carry such

liens, too?

Delta chapter house, University of Illinois\$	90,000.00
Tau chapter house, Northwestern university	85,000.00
Psi chapter house, University of Wisconsin	74,800.00
Eta chapter house, University of Michigan	60,000.00
Beta chapter house, University of Indiana	55,000.00
Alpha chapter house, De Pauw university	50,000.00
Rho chapter house, University of Nebraska	50,000.00
Alpha Lambda chapter house, University of	
Washington	44,000.00
Alpha Omicron chapter house, University of	
Oklahoma	43,500.00

	Alpha Xi chapter house, University of Oregon	42,000.00
	Upsilon chapter house, University of Minnesota	38,500.00
	Omega chapter house, University of California	38,000.00
	Alpha Sigma chapter house, Washington State	
	college	38,000.00
	Alpha Gamma chapter house, Ohio State university	35,000.00
	Beta Theta chapter house, University of Idaho	35,000.00
	Iota chapter house, Cornell university	30,000.00
	Kappa chapter house, University of Kansas	30,000.00
	Omicron chapter house, University of Southern	
	California	25,000.00
	Alpha Mu chapter house, University of Missouri	25,000.00
	Alpha Pi chapter house, University of North Da-	
	kota	25,000.00
	Alpha Chi chapter house, Purdue university	25,000.00
	Alpha Upsilon chapter house, Washburn college	22,000.00
	Chi chapter house, Syracuse university	21,000.00
	Beta Zeta chapter house, Oklahoma State college	21,000.00
	Beta Gamma chapter house, Colorado State college	16,000.00
	Phi chapter house, Stanford university	15,000.00
	Lambda chapter house, University of Vermont	9,000.00
	Gamma chapter house, Butler college	8,000.00
	Alpha Nu chapter house, University of Montana	7,500.00
	Beta Beta chapter lodge, Randolph-Macon wom-	
	an's college	1,200.00
	Alpha Eta chapter lodge, Vanderbilt university,	^
	recently sold for cash	4,000.00
	(Negotiations now on for purchase of house	,
	where living)	
(Chapter houses owned, total\$1,	063.500.00
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While the newer houses are the more complete and better adapted to fraternity needs, variations in price do not mean always equal variations in completeness and value of property. The older houses were built when building costs were lower than they are today. A few of the houses were bought as real bargains. A few stand on university property, so have no money tied up in land. Others, in small college towns, are on land costing far less than the price of lots in the university section of such cities as Seattle, for instance. Climatic conditions affect building costs.

Besides these houses, five chapter corporations own land, on which chapter houses will sometime rise. Alpha Theta's lots,

bought before the University of Texas campus grew eastward toward them, are valued at \$3,000.00, and a bond sale is about completed for the erection on them this spring of a house costing, approximately, \$35,000.00. Alpha Rho at the University of South Dakota owns free of debt lots costing \$2,000.00. Beta Delta at the University of Arizona, has lots valued at \$4,000.00, as has Beta Epsilon at Oregon State college, the latter free of all debt. Beta Iota's lots at the University of Colorado, are valued at \$2,500.00. A total for land owned of \$15,500.00.

Fifteen chapters are at present living in rented houses. Each of these chapters owns its furniture—and some of the houses are not only large but also furnished handsomely. With an extremely modest estimate of an average furniture value of \$3,000.00 this item totals \$45,000.00. While these furnishings might not bring that figure if put up for sale, they could not be replaced for such an amount.

Then there are ten chapters who have only rented rooms for headquarters. Some of these are suites of five or six rooms, some just one room, but all contain furnishings of sorts, some of a fine sort, especially the silver, linen, and other aids to hospitality. Every such chapter has in its furnishings and fraternity paraphernalia an investment of at least \$500.00, some of a much larger sum. With \$500.00 as an average, the value of this property is \$5,000.00.

Summing up, gives a grand total of \$1,129,000.00. As each of the five lot owning chapters, plans to build soon, and at least one old house will be remodeled and enlarged next summer, this grand total will increase more rapidly than the present property will deteriorate in value.

The figures for house owning chapters in most cases represents only the value of the property, omitting value of furnishings entirely, which for many of the older chapters would add a considerable sum. In a few cases figures include furnishings, as in the most recent house occupied, Beta Theta's, where the contract as let included furnishing the house, the architect being responsible for furniture buying, with a chapter committee advising. This is an excellent plan, since the tragedy of many a fine new chapter house is the paucity of its furnishings, and the difficulty of putting over a furniture fund campaign on top of one for the house itself. Of course, in the case of a chapter that has dwelled for years in rented houses, there is an

accumulation of furnishings much of which is suitable to place in the new house. One such house a few years back spent \$2,000.00 to insure "good beds and mattresses" in its fifteen bedrooms.

Any survey of Kappa Alpha Theta property should add to the wealth of the subsidiary companies, or chapters, the national fraternity assets. Today they are approximately, \$70,000.00 in the Endowment fund and \$35,000.00 in the Scholarship loan fund. But national finance is another story, to be told by some one more familiar with it than am I.

ATTENTION, PLEASE

Two omissions in lists appearing in the January issue of this magazine, have come to the editor's attention, thanks to cooperating editors. So, please add—

To the list of **PHI BETA KAPPA** elections, that of Jacqueline Stice at the University of Kansas.

To the list of W.S.G.A. presidents, Ruth Hancock, W.S.G.A. president at the University of North Dakota.

AN ARMY LIST

"Is there any possible way of finding out the names of Thetas whose husbands are Army officers? My own special 'Officer' changes his station frequently, as do all others in the army, and we find lovely fraternity people everywhere we go, but quite 'by chance.' There is no way of knowing who, at any army post, is a Theta, unless every one of us always wears her badge. I met four Thetas at Schofield Barracks, Hawaii, three Thetas at Ft. Sill, and I know of perhaps two other Thetas at other army posts. The Alumnæ chairman for foreign lands helps when we are sent on foreign service. I certainly wish there could be some sort of Army list for us who lead gypsy lives following the flag."

So writes Mrs Mabel Renwick Hughes to the editor. The regretful reply had to be "there is no such list." But this statement was followed by a promise to attempt to compile such a list. That can only be done if each of you who reads this, if she is an army (or navy) lady sends her name to the editor, along with names of other such Thetas she has met; and if all others who read it send the editor names of such "gypsy" members as they know. This is a sincere appeal for help. How complete a list can we publish in May? That depends upon you.

THETA HOUSE, FLORIDA STATE COLLEGE FOR WOMEN

This is Beta Nu's second year in the chapter house, and all have profited a great deal from chapter house experience. The house is leased from Mrs Windham, who was our chaperon

last year. This year Miss Bradley is our social director, and spends fulltime in looking after our interests.

The house is located near the campus on College avenue. It is high above the street and has a spacious lawn. Besides the palm and camphor trees in front, there are pecan and fig trees. We have planted flowers and are watching with especial care the pansies along the front walk.

Fifteen girls live in the house, but all take their meals in the college dining-room. Miss Brad-



ley has a room on the first floor, and two girls room on the downstairs sleeping-porch.

The other thirteen live up-stairs, where there are three large bedrooms, a dressing room, and sleeping-porch.

The front porch is a delightful place on warm, sunny days. The front door opens into the hall. At the left is the living-room, and adjoining it, the study. The piano and victrola, the fireplace, and the shaded lamps give a homelike atmosphere.

Finally, there is the kitchen, which has been the scene of many lively feasts.

There is nothing we enjoy more than having our friends visit us, so we extend to all who can come a hearty welcome.

Olivia Futch

THETAS YOU'D ENJOY KNOWING

MAURINE WATKINS, Gamma A Headliner Theta

"Ever since, in a forgotten book called *Helen's Babies*, the exigent Toddy expressed with passion his desire to see "the wheels go wound" an impulse to slake that universal thirst has shown itself increasingly among the people who write our books and publish our magazines and fashion our plays. At last this play has been written, animated by no other purpose than just to let the greedy reader of such episodes, as they are so entertainingly reported in the daily journals, peek behind the curtain for once in a way and watch the wheels of justice revolve, as, sometimes, they do revolve, in the land of the free."

So says Alexander Woollcott, well known dramatic critic of the *New York Tribune*, writing in *Collier's* for January 22, under the caption "The brave little woman." To quote further:

"Moments in the new play may strike the layman as the facetious inventions of an inveterate cartoonist, but any reporter who has ever hung around the outskirts of a murder trial will know they are no evidence of an inventive faculty on the author's part."***

"The piece, reciting, with tongue in cheek, the ordeal and vindication of Roxy Hart, was brought into the office of Sam H. Harris one day late last spring. In his first encounters with its demure manuscript that seasoned manager experienced a succession of shocks. The first was imparted by the very title. The author, having meditated upon the phenomenon of American life known as a murder trial, had decided, with some justice, that the only medium adequate to its expression on the stage would be the dramatic form known as farce. All well and good. But it did startle so peaceable a showman as Sam Harris that, having thus gone into gales of laughter at the quaint habits of America in matters of homicide, the playwright should then become rude enough to point—explicit enough, indeed, to come right out and want only to call the play Chicago.

"Now Mr Harris had considerable business holdings in Chicago, notably some long-term theatrical bookings which often called for a visit to the city thus roughly dramatized. A dis-

inclination to appear on its streets as one of our feathered friends gave him pause. At the end of the pause he said he would produce the play but only on condition that the title be changed at once. So for a time the script was known under the name "The brave little woman."

"It was late in the fall that he seemed to have changed his mind, for once more the little advance notices resumed the custom of referring to the impending piece as *Chicago*. I do not know what influenced this managerial reconsideration.***

"The second shock experienced by Mr Harris involved the identity of the playwright. The manuscript bore the previously uncelebrated name of Maurine Watkins. Perhaps Mr Harris, if he thought about it at all, may have decided that Maurine was just a typographical error for Maurice. Certainly he must have guessed that the play was the work of some newspaper man, and he could picture just the kind of tough, jaunty, battle-scarred police reporter who would have written it. Even a playman like Sam Harris must know that, compared with the Chicago reporters, the inked-stained wretches who ply this trade in New York seem like so many Little Lord Fauntleroys. When, as occasionally happens, a Chicago reporter comes on to New York for a rest his colleagues of Park Row and Times Square sit open-mouthed at his hair-raising anecdotes of news as it is gathered in the more eventful byways of the city on Lake Michigan. Probably Harris had heard a few of these anecdotes and could see through half-closed eves the kind of a lad who, with cigar at an angle, hat tilted raffishly to one side, and feet on table, would have spun just such a tale as the one all nicely typed there on his desk.

"Then Maurine Watkins came in to see him—a fair, fastidious girl in her early twenties, with the soft, blurred speech of the Kentucky town where, just a few years before, she had gone to boarding school. In the lovely oval of her face there was something not of this day. It seemed a monstrous anachronism that she should be sitting there in his office, claiming authorship to the brutal, cynical play on his desk. He tried vaguely to find in his mind a setting more appropriate for her and knew he had found it when he imagined her sitting, chocolate box in lap, her eyes wide and misty, at a Maude Adams

matinée."

Maurine Watkins, whose play is causing so much talk as it plays to crowded houses each night in New York City, is a member of Kappa Alpha Theta. Her childhood home is in

Crawfordsville, Indiana. She was initiated by Gamma chapter in February, 1919, having transferred to Butler college from Transylvania for her senior year. In that one year, she made herself a prominent member of the student body.

One of her classmate Thetas, thus tells the story of Maurine's

days at Butler:

"Maurine took the hardest courses and received high scholastic honors in all of them. To the outsider she was a demure, studious girl, but we Thetas knew her as a witty, surprising, interesting personality. She planned many chapter stunts, one of which was so successful that it has been repeated many times. The girl with the lead in the Dramatic club play of the year, Green stockings, was taken seriously ill the day before the performance was to be given. Maurine offered to take the part, having played it once three years before. The offer was accepted and with one rehearsal she put on the best performance of the evening. Self confidence she had in abundance, but with it a demure charm that won friends always."

After college, Miss Watkins spent several years in Chicago, for the most part on the *Chicago Tribune* staff. Then she spent a year in Professor Baker's workshop, where this play is supposed to have been written and praised with a mark of 98 per cent. Then to New York, and all the anxious days before a play is ready for the public—and the even more anxious days when its success or failure depends upon the way the public welcomes it.

It is reported that Miss Watkins is now engaged in preparing a dramatization of *Hatrack*, the tale which brought the *American Mercury* and H. L. Mencken front page headlines last year, when Mencken was arrested for selling the magazine containing this story on the streets of Boston. The play may be produced after Lent, though more probably not in New York City until summer, or early fall.

In the meantime, the questions are—how long will *Chicago* run in New York? will it go on tour? Certain it is, that this play has been given more attention by the critics than falls to the lot of most new plays.

Having introduced this interesting Theta of new laurels, through a quotation from one critic, it seems fitting to conclude the introduction with the words of another one—this time Robert Benchley, dramatic critic of *Life*.

"Chicago is a he-man's play—written by a woman, Miss Maurine Watkins. It is a devastating piece of sanitary satire.

"In it about ten good American characteristics are subjected to as thorough a basting as has been given to anything in our memory. Miss Watkins is merciless in the broad welts of slapstick kidding which she lays across the back of our national sentimentality, hypocrisy, tabloid-fed pruriency and everything else ending in 'y.' And over it all is a disclosure, for the first time, of the craze for publicity which furnishes the motive power for nine-tenths of our individual activities. Sometimes it seems as if she were laying it on a bit too thickly, but such a thing

is probably impossible.

"There are, it is true, an unfortunate number of gaglines when the same effect could have been had by sticking to the truth. Some of them are inexcusable in a play as important as this, as, for instance, when the Judge asks if there is any lady who would prefer to leave the courtroom and the defendant makes a lunge for the door. But it is probably these touches which will endear the play to those who need it most, and almost any ruse may legitimately be employed to bring it before as many Americans as possible. It would not be surprising if Chicago, together with the inevitable imitations of it which will spring up from now on, played a very important part in the gigantic task of de-bunking America."

MARY ELIZABETH TORRANCE BUCHANAN, Tau The Youngest Circulation Manager

Not only the youngest circulation manager of a magazine of great scope, but one of the very few women holding such a position, Mary Elizabeth Torrance, Northwestern '20, a member of Tau chapter, had an important clinical standing at the birth of *Children*, the magazine for parents, which appeared on the newsstands for the first time last October. Mrs Buchanan (she is not a member of the Lucy Stone league) entered Northwestern in 1917, graduating in three years in economics and as a member of Phi Beta Kappa. Afterward she spent a year at the University of Illinois where she worked in the department of education and studied for her Master's degree. Following that she came to New York to work for some months in an advertising agency and later with the International magazine company, from whence she went to her present position.

Children, the magazine for parents, was started last summer by a small group of experts in the field of child welfare with an ideal as big as the publication hopes sometime to be. That ideal is to serve the future generation by educating its parents. Frankly stated, the magazine is a trade publication. It hopes to be to fathers and mothers, those engaged in the business of parenthood, what a hundred and one other trade magazines are to workers at medicine, dentistry, law, horseshoeing, cabinet-making, bee-keeping, and what have you.

To George Hecht, a Cornell graduate, the idea came as the result of years of social service work. Already a successful editor of a social welfare magazine, he longed to reach more people—more parents—by a publication for them. He was fortunate in enlisting in his support the counsel and active help of perhaps the most notable group of child experts ever gathered together. Familiar among them are Dr Helen T. Woolley, director of the Institute of child welfare research, Teachers' college, Columbia; Mrs Sidonie Gruenberg, director of the Child study association of America, Angelo Patri, Judge Ben B. Lindsey, Dr Lois Hayden Meek, educational secretary of the American association of university women, etc.

Never before has a popularly written monthly magazine attempted to advise parents how to deal with their children; how to educate them to make them grow up to be successful men and women. The reader response has been amazing when one considers how many, many parents there still are who believe that in bringing a child into the world they are simultaneously in some mysterious manner endowed with all possible knowledge and skill in raising him without further study or advice—like the elderly colored mammy who told the worried mother who was her mistress, "Bless you'll chile, don" worry. I'se raised ten children—and two of 'em's still alive."

Where other magazines have sketchily discussed parental problems, much as they dispose of the matter of fashions and cross word puzzles, this magazine is devoted entirely to that subject and is read as an authority on it.

Some 300 newspapers welcomed *Children*, the magazine for parents, on its first appearance, in editorial comments, cheering for the splendid idea, or in news accounts of the new arrival and its editorial program.

Now in its sixth month, the periodical is drawing a volume of circulation that the most hopeful had not expected so soon, and in all probability it will within the next year rank well up in the field of better known magazines for the home.

HELEN THACKREY, Alpha '26 Directs Make-up of Two Pages of Cleveland Times

Helen Thackrey is now employed on the Cleveland *Times*. Having spent some time on each department of the paper, she now has full charge of the make-up and content of two pages of the daily. Miss Thackrey was graduated from De Pauw university last June. She was a delegate to the Seattle convention of Theta Sigma Phi, and was president of its Sigma chapter last year.

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VELVA G. DARLING, Phi '25 Youngest Feature Writer in U.S.

Velva G. Darling '25, of Iota chapter of Theta Sigma Phi at Leland Stanford Jr. university, is writing a series of articles for the *Cosmopolitan* magazine. "Galloping Grandmas" is the title of the first article.

Miss Darling began her work as a feature writer soon after her graduation, serving on the staff of the San Francisco Bulletin and later contributing a daily signed column to the Los Angeles Examiner. This column has recently been taken over by the King Feature syndicate, serving Hearst papers throughout the country. According to the King syndicate, Miss Darling is "the youngest feature writer in the United States."

A second daily feature column, written under a pen name, is soon to appear.

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MAY A. THROPP, Iota '20 Cornell Woman Grad is Jersey Legislator

Miss May Ashmore Thropp of Trenton, N.J. was one of the nine women who answered roll call at the opening of the 151st session of the New Jersey Legislature Tuesday. Miss Thropp received her A.B. degree from Cornell in 1920, and graduated from the Cornell Law school in 1922. She has since been practicing law in Trenton. In an article concerning the feminine representation in the New Jersey Legislature, the New York World says of her:

"Mercer county's first woman representative in the Assembly was Miss May Ashmore Thropp of Trenton. She was first elected on the Republican ticket in 1924. She is being considered for the chairmanship of the House appropriations committee, a position never held by a woman." (She is now chairman of that important committee.)

-Ithaca, N. Y. Journal News, 12 January 1927

EVELYN POLK NORTON

Manager Joy's Little Shop, Nashville, Tennessee

If you don't mind working all day Thanksgiving, all day Easter, all night Christmas Eve and most of Christmas day; and if you don't mind coming to work early in the morning and staying till at least six in the evening every day and sometimes on Sunday; then (unless, of course, you have fallen arches) you're in the proper frame of mind to consider becoming a florist.

To offset these bad features, if you love flowers, love to arrange them and love to sell them; and if you love people, just plain, ordinary, unassorted people; then, there's no more fascinating place to work than in a florist shop. It's fascinating because you're dealing with a beautiful product and because you view life from every angle. You see the joys, the sorrows and the romance of the world. You also see the humorous side of life. I recall one order given by a very flustered gentleman for a "corset" bouquet, and another order given by a very inebriated gentleman for a funeral wreath bearing this inscription on tulle: 'I'm sorry you died, Miss Lucy."

A successful florist has to know how to buy, price, arrange, advertise, sell and deliver her flowers,—to say nothing of knowing how to collect accounts and combat the ever present spectre, "Overhead." She must have some idea of the origin, cultivation and lasting qualities of flowers in the local market, and must also know the seasonable flowers in other parts of the country and their approximate worth. This last is made easier by membership in the Florists' telegraph delivery association, an organization of 3,200 florists in all parts of the world.

The florist business never becomes monotonous, for the changing seasons bring many different flowers. There's Spring with its jonquils and sweetpeas, Summer with its gladioli and dahlias, Autumn with its chrysanthemums and Winter with its roses and poinsettias.

The main thing to remember in selling flowers is that all flowers, unfortunately, cannot be as enduring as the immortelle and quite likely "this same flower that blooms today, tomorrow will be a-dying." So, the Maiden's Prayer, when the Maiden runs a flower shop is: "Say it with Flowers, and speak now, or else hereafter for ever hold your peace."

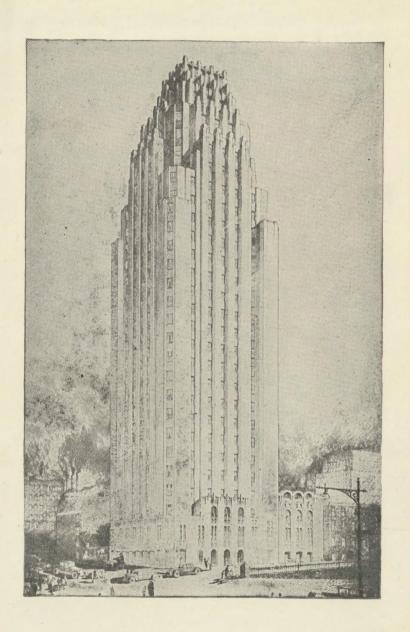
Evelyn Polk Norton

THE NEW YORK CITY PANHELLENIC HOUSE

The drive for the sale of \$450,000 of 6 per cent preferred stock of the Panhellenic house association, Inc. the last step in making the house a reality, was launched at the home of Mrs A. Barton Hepburn, president of the Board of directors. Each fraternity was represented by a team captain and a number of workers. The entire sales force consists of 200 fraternity women and the task before them is the sale of 3000 shares of preferred stock. Mrs. LeRoy Kimball, Pi, is captain for Kappa Alpha Theta fraternity, whose quota is 284 shares. The responsibility for 4000 shares has been generously taken over by two committees of prominent New York people with faith in the house, a women's committee headed by Alice Duer Miller and a men's committee with Owen D. Young as chairman.

At a meeting January 25 the fraternity captains reported 1850 shares of the fraternity quota and 710 shares of the women's committee quota sold. So, at that date, more than ½ of the fraternity quota had been sold in New York City, the following fraternities having sold the number of shares allotted them: Alpha Chi Omega, Alpha Delta Pi and Alpha Omicron Pi. As soon as legal requirements in various states can be fulfilled preferred stock will be offered for sale in other states.

A prospectus explaining the project and describing the house has been distributed. The prospectus includes the architect's drawings of the house, the floor plan, and the following description and financial statement: "The Panhellenic house will be built on the corner of Mitchell place at Forty-ninth street. It is to be a house of 26 stories, which will have sunlight on the east, south, and west, and a view of the East river. The first two floors will have reception rooms for residents and their friends, lounges, social hall, and a restaurant. In the remaining 24 stories there will be 380 bed rooms, many with private baths. At the top of the tower will be a lofty sun-room. The location of the Panhellenic house will make it possible for a resident to live in these pleasant surroundings and still be near her work in mid-town or lower Manhattan. The site was chosen not only because of these two advantages, but as a good real estate investment, being a part of the residential development on the east side taking place from Sutton place and Beekman place to the proposed Tudor city. The purchasers of the preferred stock of the Panhellenic house association Inc. in making this invest-



ment, are providing a real home for the many college women who come to New York."

Any one interested may obtain a copy of this prospectus by writing the Panhellenic house association, 17 E. 62d st. New York, N.Y.

ESTIMATE OF COST, AND OPERATING EXPENSES OF THE PROPOSED PANHELLENIC HOUSE* Prepared by Harry Hall

Cost of land, 80.10x108			. 1,215,000
Architect's fees for designing and supervision, in	clud	ling struc	3-
tural engineers and experts			. 73,500
Interest on money advanced during construction			. 25,000
Taxes during construction			. 5,000
Cost of financing and other incidental expenses			. 25,000
Cost of furnishing 380 rooms at \$150			. 57,000
Public and servants' rooms			. 30,000
			\$1,630,500
*Mortgages already arranged	.\$1		
Common Stock, already subscribed		200,000	
**Preferred Stock to be sold		450,000	\$1,650,000
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Estimated rental from 380 rooms average of \$1	3.		
per week, less 5 per cent vacancies	.\$	244,036	
Rental from 6 stores		13,000	
Dining room profit		5,200	
Miscellaneous items		10,000	
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Total income	.\$	272,236	
Interest on mortgages at 6 per cent\$60,000			
Taxes 30,000			
Operating expenses 95,000			
Amortization, 2 per cent of mortgage20,0000	\$	205,000	
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Net Earnings	\$	67,236	
Income tax		9,000	
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Common Stock Dividend, 6 per cent 12,000	\$	39,000	
Leaving Estimated Margin	\$	10 996	
The result of th	Φ	19,236	

*The Metropolitan life insurance co. has agreed to take a first mortgage of \$800,000 at 6 per cent, when \$450,000 of preferred stock is sold. **When \$350,000 of preferred stock is subscribed, a friend will take

the last \$100,000.

CONVENTIONS—NATIONAL OR DISTRICT?

I have folded my Christmas cards and laid them away. I have reread each tender, loving message of good will—messages that came from all directions, from far and near—each one bearing the personality and individuality of the sender. What a warm feeling is mine, as if a mantle of love had been thrown around me, protecting from injury by spirits not so kind.

In a measure this feeling may be submerged by the activities of ordinary routine, but each blessed Christmas time makes the feeling stronger, and helps one to more truly mean the good wishes and live nearer the ideals one has set for one's self.

So I muse on Convention! What benefit to be derived from a large, strenuous, and—as we must be practical—expensive convention? Why should a Convention manager, a Grand council, Hostess chapters, assume such a gigantic task? Is it to possess a feeling of glorious achievement without counting the cost? Is it to spend days in discussion of the wording of a phrase, the interpretation of a line? Rather may they not have the satisfaction of knowing they have done their bit towards the thing the whole world needs to strive for—universal sympathy and understanding?

Theta is growing and Theta, we hope and believe, will continue to grow, and growing in size shall it not grow in spirit also? Shall Theta, with added growth, become broader, more far-seeing, more nationally and internationally minded, or shall it become provincial? Shall we hold small district conventions dealing with parts of our fraternity, or shall we leave petty details to District conventions and meet in National convention to discuss bigger and broader things with, as one writer happily expressed it, the whole family at the fireside? Thanks to the wisdom of a Grand council that freed the convention of 1926 from much legislation and detail! Can we estimate the value of such a meeting where the strong characters inspire and the weaker ones gain strength; where the vastness, the true worth, and the real reasons for fraternity are so impressed that one cannot but be made bigger, finer, and stronger, not only for Theta activities but for active part in the fraternity of all humanity? The glow is not unlike that of the Christmas season, where souls meet and greet and impart to each other strength for better things. And if we fall short of the lofty aims set by a National convention, shall not each succeeding convention help us to be stronger?

It is my humble opinion that small District conventions might take care of Theta's machinery, keep it well oiled and running smoothly; but vision, understanding, happiness, and growth must come through the magnitude of National and International conventions. Thus only may we gain a more glorious, complete conception of Theta.

Ethel Renwick Thomson, Spokane Alumnæ

SCHOLARSHIP COMPARISONS

1925-26

(Continued from January issue)

University of California

1.	Alpha Phi	1.679
2.	Lambda Omega	1.665
3.	Delta Chi Delta	1.632
4.	Phi Mu	1.546
5.	Epsilon Pi Alpha	1.538
6.	Alpha Epsilon Phi	1.524
7.	Phi Alpha Chi	1.513
8.	Alpha Delta Pi	1.510
9.	Phi Omega Pi	1.504
10.	KAPPA ALPHA THETA	1.495
11.	Kappa Kappa Gamma	1.494
12.	Alpha Chi Omega	1.493
13.	Theta Upsilon	1.485
14.	Alpha Xi Delta	1.479
15.	Alpha Delta Theta	1.476
16.	Chi Omega	1.468
17.	Delta Delta	1.461
18.	Sigma Kappa	1.454
19.	Alpha Omicron Pi	1.429
20.	Gamma Phi Beta	1.419
21.	Delta Zeta	1.415
22.	Zeta Tau Alpha	1.410
23.	Pi Beta Phi	1.396
24.	Beta Phi Alpha	1.376
25.	Alpha Gamma Delta	1.368
26.	Kappa Delta	1.362
27.	Alpha Sigma Delta	1.335
28.	Pi Sigma Gamma	1.321
29.	Delta Gamma	1.225
	Fraternity women's average	1.465

Goucher College

Goucher College					
1.	KAPPA ALPHA THETA	1.1476			
2.	Gamma Phi Beta	1.1111			
	(Delta Delta Delta)	1 0500			
3.	Alpha Gamma Delta	1.0520			
4.	Tau Kappa Pi	1.0273			
5.	Pi Beta Phi	1.0209			
6.	Delta Gamma	1.0058			
7.	Alpha Phi	.8840			
	Fraternity women's average	1.0376			
	I C-!!				
	Lawrence College				
	(1st Semester)				
1.	Kappa Delta	. 84.7			
2.	KAPPA ALPHA THETA				
3.	Beta Phi Alpha	. 83.0			
4.	Zeta Tau Alpha				
5.	Delta Gamma	82.1			
6.	Alpha Delta Pi				
7.	Alpha Gamma Phi	79.5			
8.	Phi Mu	79.0			
9.	Rho Beta Phi				
	Fraternity women's average	. 82.4			
	Ohio State University				
		2.050			
1.	Sigma Alpha Sigma	3.050			
2.	Kappa Delta	2.673			
3.	Alpha Xi Delta	2.642			
4.	Sigma Delta Tau	2.628			
5.	Kappa Kappa Gamma	2.625 2.542			
6.	Alpha Phi	2.536			
7.	Alpha Epsilon Phi	2.536 2.523			
8.	Sigma Kappa	2.525			
9.	Phi Omega Pi	2.456			
10.	Lambda Omega	2.416			
11.	Pi Beta Phi	2.410 2.377			
12.	Gamma Phi Lambda	2.377			
13. 14.	Theta Upsilon	2.371			
14. 15.	Chi Omega Lambda Pi Omega	2.353			
16.	Alpha Chi Omega	2.346			
10.	Aipha Om Omega	2.010			

17.	Alpha Delta Pi	2.336
18.	Delta Zeta	2.303
19.	Alpha Delta Theta	2.274
20.	Alpha Sigma Delta	2.273
21.	KAPPA ALPHA THETA	2.269
22.	Delta Delta Delta	2.261
23.	Phi Mu	2.243
24.	Delta Gamma	2.222
25.	Theta Phi Alpha	2.130
26.	Alpha Kappa Alpha	1.997
	Fraternity women's average	2.412
	Stanford University	
1.		1.982
1. 2.	Delta Delta Delta	1.982 1.824
-	Delta Delta Delta	
2.	Delta Delta	1.824
2. 3.	Delta Delta Delta Pi Beta Phi Gamma Phi Beta Sigma Kappa	1.824 1.770
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2. 3. 4. 5.	Delta Delta Delta Pi Beta Phi Gamma Phi Beta Sigma Kappa Alpha Phi Kappa Kappa Gamma	1.824 1.770 1.710 1.700
2. 3. 4. 5. 6.	Delta Delta Delta Pi Beta Phi Gamma Phi Beta Sigma Kappa Alpha Phi	1.824 1.770 1.710 1.700 1.681
2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7.	Delta Delta Delta Pi Beta Phi Gamma Phi Beta Sigma Kappa Alpha Phi Kappa Kappa Gamma Chi Omega KAPPA ALPHA THETA	1.824 1.770 1.710 1.700 1.681 1.677
2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7.	Delta Delta Delta Pi Beta Phi Gamma Phi Beta Sigma Kappa Alpha Phi Kappa Kappa Gamma Chi Omega KAPPA ALPHA THETA Delta Gamma Alpha Omicron Pi	1.824 1.770 1.710 1.700 1.681 1.677 1.642
2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9.	Delta Delta Delta Pi Beta Phi Gamma Phi Beta Sigma Kappa Alpha Phi Kappa Kappa Gamma Chi Omega KAPPA ALPHA THETA	1.824 1.770 1.710 1.700 1.681 1.677 1.642 1.618

THETA'S BIRTHDAY

Any one as old as Theta, 57, January 27, can take stock of accomplishments, as a basis for planning the future.

All over the world, in January, Thetas gathered to celebrate Kappa Alpha Theta's birthday. Everywhere the same songs were sung and more or less the same history reviewed. Everywhere it was a time for gaiety mingled with gratitude, and for a recharging of ambitions.

Because of these celebrations the Friendship fund is a fact, with a bank account of \$365.66 all its own. (To be increased, no doubt, as reports of many celebrations were not received when this was written.)

"Every member of Stillwater alumnæ club and every active member of Beta Zeta college chapter, whether she was or was not able to come to the Founders'-day celebration here in the city, contributed 57 pennies to the party's Friendship fund collection," so writes Alva Jarbeau Torkelson, who sent in the joint contribution of the Oklahoma City birthday party. This probably is a record contribution, carrying out the idea of a Friendship fund as a service *shared by all Thetas*. To the Oklahoma contribution, a pledge of Beta Zeta chapter added a check for fifty dollars, too.

Extracts from some reports of celebrations that have come to the office follow, as illustrating the general character of such

affairs:

From a rather new viewpoint toast: "Fifty-seven years ago, in a pioneer educational stronghold of the then new mid-west, four young girls, all under twenty, met at every chance during January, 1870, to plan Kappa Alpha Theta. Because they met there, all over the world Thetas meet this month to voice their gratitude to these four.

"While women's fraternities probably would, in time, have developed even though Kappa Alpha Theta had not been born in 1870, still as she was the first Greek letter fraternity known among women, it is true that because they—these four—met there, today in 129 colleges in the United States and two in Canada—Toronto and Manitoba—college girls wear fraternity badges and all over the world college alumnæ treasure similar badges. Because they met there, today the 21 National Panhellenic fraternities have 909 college chapters. In only three states have they no chapters: South Carolina, where law forbids fraternities; and Delaware and New Jersey, where college opportunities for women are still almost as meager as they were everywhere in 1870."

Looking backward—what have 57 years given Kappa Alpha Theta? what has Kappa Alpha Theta done in 57 years? Looking forward—what is Kappa Alpha Theta doing today to make herself worthy of a place in the world? what is she going to do tomorrow? What promise to the future comes from this Founders'-day?

CHICAGO: The candles were lighted for Theta Founders when Tau, with Evanston and Chicago alumnæ chapters, celebrated Theta's birthday with a luncheon at the Union league club, January 29. Twenty-four college chapters were represented by the 130 who attended the luncheon. Mrs Addie Priest Dorsett, Alpha, presided and told of the early days of Indiana Asbury college and Kappa Alpha Theta. The program was devoted to convention talks—Helen Cole, Tau, discussed Convention en route; Mrs Ruth Sleicher Smith, Evanston alumnæ, Convention on duty; Mrs Edna Carr Drollinger, Chicago alumnæ, Convention off duty. The guest of honor was Mrs

Jeannette Gemmill Grasett, Grand treasurer. A large birthday cake at the door, received the Friendship fund contributions.

WICHITA alumnæ reports twenty-nine present at its Birthday dinner, and sent a generous check for the Friendship fund.

MIAMI, Florida: Fifteen gathered for a Founders'-day luncheon on January 29. This was the first regular function of the newly organized Miami Theta alumnæ club.

See Chapter letters for news of many other celebrations.

OUR FRIENDSHIP FUND

The Theta Friendship fund is our infant fraternity interest. Like all infants in these days of efficiency methods in the care of the young, its psychological as well as its physical heritage must be taken into account. Grand council, through natural channels of observation and work, recognized the physical need for this addition to the Theta family of interests: namely, money and service help to sister Thetas.

Psychologically, however, the need is mutual. The new infant needs the environment of fraternal thinking toward the proper development, and we need the fraternal stimulus which that part of the baby's care will provide. In other words, the Friendship fund may be called an experiment in applied fraternalism.

The idea of a welfare service is, of course, not new in the field of women's fraternities. Several of our sister organizations have most creditable services well established. The idea of help within our own fraternity is not new but the instances have been isolated and unevenly aided. This step in naming a fund and establishing channels of giving help is a natural development in effective service.

Our infant Friendship fund is a younger sister of our Scholarship fund which has helped Thetas over difficult years in college, and of our Endowment fund which has helped chapters in homemaking. The new sister will soon be large enough to assume her share of responsibility for the family's well being.

The first contributions to the new Fund were made by birthday pennies at the many Founders'-day celebrations in January. It is hoped that the custom may be continued until the Fund reaches a suitable amount to start the service half of the idea. During this year plans will be formulated for a practical administration of national and local aid to Thetas who have reached a crisis when friendship is needed in a material form.

Clara Fanning

SCHOLARSHIP CHART, 1925-26

(? indicates data not received. In columns 4 and 5, first figure represents Theta's position, second figure number of groups ranked: i. e. 2-11, means 2d

Theta's position, second figure number of groups ranked: i. e. 2–11, means 2d of 11 groups).						
		DISTR	ICT I			
College	Fraternity Women's Average	KAO's Average	KAO'sRELATIVE Standing	KAO's RANK 1925-26	KAΘ's RANK 1924–25	KAO's GAIN OR Loss in Rank
Butler De Pauw Indiana Purdue	? 56.7 1.6834 81.86	84.323 64.9 1.6023 83.71	+8.2 0811 +1.85	2-11 1-11 ?-17 1- 9	2-11 11-11 ?-17 1- 9	+10 ? 0
	No.	DISTR	ICT II	16		
Drake Illinois Iowa Northwestern	3.63 3.629 ? 1.538	3.83 3.758 2.5 1.315	+ .20 + .129	1- 7 5-33 2-33 ?-15 4-20	5- 7 19-33 7-33 New Chapter	+ 4 +17 New Chapter
Washington (St. I		3.386	223	3-8	?	?
		DISTR	ICT III		1	1
Allegheny Cincinnati Michigan Michigan State	? ? 2.614	B- 3.427 79.7 2.435	? ? 179	?- 6 6-16 ?-20 9-9	?- 6 ?-16 ?-20 New Chapter	? ? ? New Chapter
Ohio State Ohio Wesleyan Pittsburgh	2.413 1.698 ?	2.269 1.835 1.57	144 + .137	21–26 5–19 ?–19	?-26 10-19 ?-19	? + 5 ?
DISTRICT IV						
Cornell Syracuse Toronto Vermont	? ? 54.873 78.250	75.5 ? 60.03 78.693	? ? +5.157 + .443	3-14 ?-23 1- 7 2- 8	?-14 11-23 1- 7 6- 8	? ? 0 + 4
	DISTRICT V					
Colorado Colorado State Kansas Missouri Nebraska Washburn	? 83.536 3.53 2.31 ?	82.32 83.932 3.68 2.30 1.6 86.9	+ .396 + .15 0 ?	?-10 2-5 4-16 7-14 ?-19 5-9	?-10 ?- 5 11-16 1-14 6-19 ?- 9	? + 7 - 6 ?

DISTRICT VI	

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College	FRATERNITY Women's Average	KAO's Average	KAO'sRELATIVE Standing	KAO's RANK 1925-26	KAO's RANK 1924-25	KAO'S GAIN OR LOSS IN RANK
Arizona California California S. B. Nevada So. California Stanford	? 1.465 ? 2.091 ? 1.707	2.508 1.495 1.353 2.003 ? 1.982	$\begin{array}{c} ? \\ + .030 \\ ? \\ + .088 \\ \end{array}$	4-7 10-29 15-32 3-6 1-6 3-14 8-10	?-7 ?-29 11-32 1-6 3-6 ?-14 ?-10	? ? - 4 + 2 ?
		DISTRI	CT VII			
Adelphi Goucher Pennsylvania Randolph-Macon Swarthmore Wm. & Mary	? 1.0376 ? 88.24 1.813 ?	B- 1.1476 1.88 88.7 1.761 82.	? ? + .17 052 ?	?- 7 1- 8 2-13 3-11 4- 6 ?- 5	?- 7 ?-13 ?-11 ?- 6 ?- 5	??????
		DISTRI				
Oklahoma Oklahoma State Texas	? ? 6.28	3.801 84.+ 6.36	? ? + .08	?-15 ? 8-15	4-15 ?- 8 ?	???
		DISTR	ICT IX			
Idaho Montana Oregon Oregon State Washington Washington State	? 19.67 ? 6.526 84.90	4.610 18.21 48.12 83.94 7.029 85.87	? -1.46 ? + .503 + .97	?- 8 7- 9 ?-17 ?-16 4-23 3-12	4- 8 ? 2-17 ?-16 7-23 12-12	? ? ? + 3 + 9
DISTRICT X						
Lawrence Minnesota North Dakota South Dakota Wisconsin	82.4 1.296 84.49 ? 1.668	84.3 1.211 86.36 87.78 1.565	$\begin{vmatrix} +1.9 \\ -0.85 \\ +1.87 \\ ? \\ -0.103 \end{vmatrix}$	2- 9 19-21 2- 8 1- 6 20-23	3-9 11-21 ?-8 1-6 16-23	+ 1 - 8 ? 0 - 4
		DISTR	ICT XI			
Florida Newcomb Vanderbilt	"Repor No rep 1.615	not yet rt issued 1.70	re ady." + .08	5 1- 6	?- 6	?

ALUMNÆ INTERESTS

DOES YOUR ALUMNÆ CHAPTER COST TOO MUCH?

"Our first attempt at budgeting has worked fairly well. At any rate we have decided to go on with this businesslike method of financing next year and learn by our mistakes." This is quoted from the 1925-26 annual report of one of our largest and most active alumnæ chapters, to show that while a budget is not a patent cure-all for every financial ill, it is a decided help and well worth trying.

By actual count, 27 of the 47 alumnæ chapters (June, 1926) sent in annual reports. 9 of these use budgets. Many of the chapters not reporting may be using budgets, but the proportion of one-third probably still holds true for the entire number. Only four of the 27 showed dues over \$3.50, in spite of the fact that at convention, delegates from some of these chapters told of dues of \$9.00 and \$10.00. Are we not confusing the issue in our dues discussion, and calling food cost, dues? It is undoubtedly true that in many chapters the expense mounts up to an appalling figure when we add all the possible costs—rushing assessments, luncheons at hotels, banquets, convention delegate assessments, etc. Much of this is voted a dollar or two at a time, and does not then seem exorbitant, but if added up and presented formally at the beginning of the year, would certainly be cut down. This is one of the great values of a budget. You map out what you would like to do. Then balance it by how you can pay for it, and what cannot be paid for without unreasonable assessments is postponed for another year. Also every member pays the same and knows where her money and effort go; and more comforting still, knows that when that accepted amount is paid, she is through paying for the year.

Without doubt food makes the meeting better. But surely \$1.00 per plate for nine meetings a year is too much. The average allowance when made per hostess, or in the budget, is fifty cents or less, for luncheon or supper. Fifty cents worth of food, seasoned with Theta good cheer, ought to make any meeting attractive.

The following suggested budget form is taken from several which have proved workable. You can easily fill in your own

items and amounts—first deciding on the number of members you will be able to secure, and then using this concise statement of your plans for the year as an argument for joining.

SUGGESTED BUDGET FORM

DISBURSEMENTS P	PER CHAPTER	
Dues—50 members @	ER OHAI IER	
local—\$1.00	\$ 50.00	
per cap— 3.00		
Rummage sales		
Dollar sale, or bazaar, or Christ-	100.00	
mas cards, or whatever means		
of income		
of meome	150.00	
	\$450.00	
DISBURSEMENTS	PER CHAPTER	PER MEMBER
National per capita	\$150.00	\$3.00
Scholarship Fund		1.00
Hotel expenses convention		
delegate	20.00	.40
Local charity		.50
Rushing party for college chapter		1.00
Secretary's supplies		.50
Gifts to two nearby college		
chapters	100.00	2.00
Miscellaneous expenses		.20
	430.00	
Balance to begin year 27-28	20.00	.40
	450.00	9.00
Earned	250.00	5.00
Dues		\$4.00

Dues are \$4.00, or \$3.50 for Life Subscribers

Will every alumnæ chapter join in this experiment for 1927-28? Have the treasurer or committee fill out this or a similar budget form this spring. Adopt it at May meeting. By August 15 send it out to every Theta in your community, with an invitation to your September meeting. Follow it as best you can during the year—with the understanding of course

that a budget is elastic, so that if, for instance, the rummage sales net more or less than the estimated amount, the gifts to the chapters can be increased or decreased accordingly. Send in your annual report, with budget attached and remarks about how you liked it, and whether you will continue it.

Complete cooperation in this trial will give the Alumnæ board some real information on which to base future recommendations on this very vital phase of alumnæ chapter life.

A gold star in the efficiency chart for every chapter who reports!

Margaret Archdeacon Darrough

THETA CLUBS

"To all men who make a hobby of pipes" begins an advertisement in our morning's Dartmouth. So I say, by way of a Theta advertisement, "To all women who make a hobby of Kappa Alpha Theta we offer some group that you may join." The newest form of these organized groups is the club, designed to meet the needs of the alumnæ who enjoy being together occasionally and being connected with their fraternity but who are unable for some reason to assume the responsibilities of an alumnæ chapter. Frequently, of course, clubs do develop into chapters, nine have already done so. And many clubs, too, have become as closely knit in Theta spirit as any chapter. The Louisville club is one of these; it began in May of 1923 when a Theta summoned other Thetas to a luncheon and had to identify herself to them by a prearranged flower on her coat. A club of eight resulted from the luncheon, and three or four more Thetas have joined it since. Their secretary wrote me this fall, "We are really quite a worthless organization in all but Theta fellowship and enthusiasm and all that that means. We have tried having current event programs, book reviews, and have made a few garments for one of the clinics at the City hospital, but most of our meetings are purely selfish and every one seems happy to belong to an organization where nothing is required except to enjoy each other." Do you call that club "worthless?" The secretary should be prosecuted for so slandering it!

The Harrisburg club is another, even older group that has real chapter spirit. Founded in 1921, it has been active ever since with an average membership of ten, usually one hundred per cent of those Thetas near enough to join. They have luncheons and parties among themselves, gather in Thetas from

near-by towns for their Founders'-day festival, and give gener-

ously each year to Theta's Scholarship fund.

The Albion, Michigan, Theta club with its ten members is an outgrowth of the Kappa Alpha Theta Building association. That association has been meeting annually since Pi chapter surrendered its Theta charter. The money that came to it from the sale of the Theta lodge at Albion college is used as loan scholarships for worthy girls in the college. Three of these scholarships are now in use, the first having been paid back; their number will increase as time passes. What a beautiful memorial to our Pi chapter is in the hands of our Albion Theta club.

Many of our clubs are isolated from any chapter. The Atlanta, Georgia, and New Haven, Connecticut, clubs are two of this number, yet both clubs are alert and interested in Theta's welfare. "The Atlanta alumnæ club was on the job last fall to the extent of recommending and helping to get four Theta pledges—one at Goucher, one at William and Mary, one at Randolph-Macon, and one at Newcomb. It is a good beginning here," so writes their District president, Mrs Humphrey. Out in the Arkansas Valley in Colorado is a little group of eight loyal Thetas, some of whom have to travel over fifty miles to attend a club meeting. They meet first in one town, then in another, perhaps four times during the year, and those meetings with the renewal of college and Theta contacts they say they enjoy thoroughly.

Clubs vary greatly in size. Our smallest one is in Grand Island, Nebraska, though that had eight members when it was organized. One by one they moved away until now there are only four left, but four of the enthusiastic Theta sort that enjoy their meetings and love to continue their national affiliation. The Buffalo club with thirty-one members is much larger. They meet once in two months. A benefit card party is a custom of theirs with the proceeds going to our Scholarship fund. Long Beach Theta club in California is still larger with approximately fifty Thetas on its roll. They hold their monthly meetings either at public tea-rooms or in the homes of members. The profits from the benefit parties that they also give are divided between the two Los Angeles college chapters and the Scholarship fund. Another custom of the Long Beach Thetas is making a happy Christmas for a few poor families. California has another club of similar size in San Diego. That is a very cosmopolitan group and one whose membership varies greatly, but it must indeed make many Thetas, who are resident

there for brief intervals only, happy in the welcome they receive. The Memphis club with twenty-four members has a novel plan. It has a small circulating library of current fiction, to which all contribute, and at each of the informal monthly meetings they exchange books. I wonder if they had a deep discussion on the theories Mr H. G. Wells propounds in The life and world of William Clissold; if so, I wish that I might have been with them at that meeting. If only I could go on a club visiting jaunt, I should want certainly to stop at Clarksburg in West Virginia. It is a small club with around ten members but they seem to treasure their Theta friendships highly. Somehow I should like them to get a train to Toledo, Ohio. That club has been active since 1923, has a rather large membership, and is particularly generous always to the Scholarship fund.

The large group of clubs who live side by side with college chapters have their work and enjoyment provided for them. The Lawrence club with a membership of nearly forty has long been an invaluable help to Kappa chapter. Each class group of Mu is entertained in turn by the Meadville club, who thus make closer friends of the younger girls. The Lansing club reports that they use this same method of becoming acquainted with the girls of Beta Pi, and I have no doubt that other clubs

do likewise.

Such different tasks as the alumnæ find to do! One mail brings me a letter saying that Ann Arbor Thetas (another long established club and always loval, by the way) are hemming napkins for Eta's house, and the next that the Fort Collins club has had the floors varnished and the roof leak mended for Beta Gamma. One year the Grand Forks club with sixteen members cleared a thousand dollars for Alpha Pi at a bazaar. Most clubs are making money in one way or another, but I know of no more novel method than the fruit-cake making of the Lafavette club members. That club, always of inestimable help to Alpha Chi, is eager now to clear the debt on the chapter house. Let me quote from a recent letter from the secretary: "For several years we alumnæ have divided into groups at Christmas time and made fruit cakes. The idea was started by two alumnæ in the home economics department of Purdue who themselves made 150 to 200 cakes for two or three years and turned in the money realized as their personal contributions. When we found out what a fine way it was to make money we all organized, bought pans for 11/2 and 2 pound sizes and some members loaned steamers. This year we are making 400 pounds and expect to sell it all easily. We have arranged to get all

the materials of our grocer who gives us wholesale prices and it costs us about 31 cents a pound and sells for 80 cents a pound. This year we are also making decorated gift cakes for 90 cents per pound, and \$1.00 if wrapped in fancy wrapping. This year we will make over \$200.00 and it only means less than a day's work and no cash outlay for each member. Also I might mention that I think it's been good for the club morale; working in groups, as we do, encourages intimacies that would never be brought about in general meetings.''

Austin, Eugene, Pullman, Reno, Stillwater, Tucson, and Vermillion clubs are working just as earnestly for their respective college chapters. And there is still another group of clubs who enjoy their own meetings but find their greatest common interest in helping chapters who live in their states. Here I should group the clubs in Duluth, Minnesota; Erie, Pennsylvania; Fort Worth and Wichita Falls in Texas; Greenfield, Indiana; Salem, Oregon, and Tulsa, Oklahoma.

On the day before Christmas, mixed in with a pile of greeting cards, I found a letter from London, telling of a Theta club just organized in England and eager now to welcome traveling Thetas. Far away on the other side of the world is our faithful Honolulu club, that is of older standing and has already entertained various fortunate Thetas. Both of these clubs wish that they might have many guests.

A way in which clubs are frequently helpful to the fraternity is in giving advice about applying groups to the Grand vice-president. If they disapprove an application, she doesn't have to consider the matter further. If they approve and are ready to help the local girls who want to become Thetas, their aid is invaluable both to the applicants and to the fraternity. Four of our clubs are interested in local applying groups at the present moment.

This year we have been glad to introduce to you through the Journal list twelve new Theta clubs. We wish a long life and a happy one to these groups in Albion, Michigan; Ames, Iowa; Greenfield, Indiana; Lansing, Michigan; London, England; Phoenix, Arizona; Pullman, Washington; Raleigh, North Carolina; Reno, Nevada; Salt Lake City, Utah; San Antonio, Texas; and Southeastern Washington. More Thetas still, I am sure, have this same hobby, this same love for Kappa Alpha Theta, this same joy in meeting occasionally with other Thetas; may I not, then, help you to start clubs in your towns and cities?

Hope Davis Mecklin

London

The baby among Theta alumnæ clubs begs to make her bow and to announce that like all babies she is considered unique by such as have the pleasure of her acquaintance. This is partly due to her having been born some thousands of miles from home, in London, England. As an insurance risk the infant's rating is poor as her constituent parts are liable to disintegrate at any time, but, being a normal child in other respects, she will endeavor to enjoy herself as comfortably and informally as possible while she may.

To give you more precise details, we shall be forced to abandon this charming metaphor. The necessary minimum of five Thetas met early in December at the Lyceum club, 138 Piccadilly, as the guests of Mrs Watt, one of Sigma's charter members. It was decided to form a club, which should meet at least once a month for lunch, the fourth Saturday, being the date chosen. Those present knew of some half dozen other Thetas who were unable to join them that day, but there are probably more, whose addresses would be most gladly received by

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Miami

The Kappa Alpha Theta alumnæ club of Miami, Florida, was organized on January 10, with Mrs J. W. Shaw, president; Lila Hughes, vice-president; Mildred Benton, secretary; Doris Harper Allen, treasurer.

Since Thetas from every chapter in the United States are either living in Miami or spend a winter here at some time or other, we hope to make this new club influential and a means for

the newcomer to get acquainted.

Business meetings will be held on the third Monday of each month with social affairs between times. The first party was a Founders'-day luncheon on January 29 which was enthusias-

tically attended by fifteen members.

On organization day the membership list contained the following names: Norma Davis, Velma Ruth Powers, Ruth Rigby, Mildred Benton, Mrs Walter Cheers, Mrs D. F. McDowell, Mrs Preston Prevatt, Flo Springer, Lila Hughes, Elsie Mayer, Mrs Gilbert Clippinger, Marian Manley, Mrs J. W. Shaw, Mrs Frank Cargill, Mrs J. I. Conklin, Mrs Fred Botts, Mary Volrath, Mrs J. F. W. Pearson, Helen Atkinson, Mrs Katherine Boyd Fah-

rion, Mrs Lucille McConnell, Nina McAdam, Valida Hassan, Mrs E. A. Haas, Jean McKenna, Doris Harper Allen, Mrs C. I. Brooks, Mrs Leland Post.

Albion

Since the organization of the Albion Theta club about a year ago, several social courtesies have been extended in recognition of the new organization.

Recently Delta Gamma alumnæ club gave a buffet dinner for the Theta club. The evening following was spent in looking over old time photographs which the hostess had requested the members to bring with them. College ties of long ago were

thus renewed in pleasant fashion.

Each month the Theta club holds a meeting at which it transacts any business which may come up, such as the matter of placing the scholarship which it maintains for a junior girl in Albion college who needs a little financial help. The meeting is largely given over, however, to social chat, reading letters received from Thetas from away and in "reminiscing." The last meeting was a luncheon, January 20, at the home of Mrs Theo Gardner Parker.

SCHOLARSHIP RATING OF CHAPTERS PASCHAL SYSTEM

Because of the variation in marking systems, and because of the wide differences in the number of fraternity chapters in colleges, the comparison of the scholarship of one chapter with that of other chapters, has been difficult if not impossible.

Dr Franklin C. Paschal, Register at the University of Arizona, worked out a possible plan for such comparisons which was published first in the Sigma Nu Delta for May, 1926. His system has been tried by a number of fraternities this fall. Following a brief explanation of the theory back of his tables, you will find the Paschal rating for the 36 chapters of Kappa Alpha Theta, whose scholastic rank among groups is known at this writing.

"To explain the application of the order of merit rating, suppose a city block divided equally among the fraternities, the highest in scholarship to have the lot ending at the hundred mark, the poorest to have the lot at the lower end of the block. . . . Now if there are three fraternities in the college, the lowest in rank will have the territory from 0 to 33½, the middle

one will have from 33½ to 66⅔, and the one standing highest from 66⅔ to 100. In actuality the chapter will stand in the exact middle of its own territory—the lowest at the center be-

tween 0 and 331/3, which is approximately 17," etc. etc.

This plan assumes that it is more of an accomplishment to be second among 20 groups, than to be second among 4 groups. It may not be so actually, but at any rate it is a triumph over more competition. Until a universal grading system is adopted, these tables give the best available figures for comparative rating—though many factors beside rank enter into the real value of scholarship standing on any campus.

Paschal Averages of Theta Chapters, 1925-26

96—Gamma
95—Alpha, Alpha Chi
94—Alpha Delta
93—Sigma, Beta Kappa
92—Delta, Alpha Eta, Alpha
Rho
89—Beta Eta
85—Alpha Lambda
84—Alpha Psi
83—Iota, Omicron
82—Lambda, Alpha Pi
80—Alpha Sigma
79—Kappa

78—Beta Beta 77—Gamma deuteron 76—Beta Mu
70—Beta Gamma
69—Alpha Iota
68—Omega
66—Alpha Tau
54—Alpha Mu, Beta Xi
50—Alpha Theta, Alpha Upsilon, Beta Delta
34—Alpha Beta
33—Tau
28—Alpha Nu
25—Phi
22—Alpha Gamma
16—Upsilon, Psi

CONTEMPORARY THOUGHT

Visiting Officers

For several years our chapters have been enjoying visits from travelling secretaries and in all probability all have profited. But there are few chapters that make the most of these occasions.

The visit of the traveling secretary should be the occasion for a fraternity revival. It should be a three-day series of "protracted meetings" in which the chapter acquires all of the fraternity information the traveling secretary has to give them. To make best use of the occasion alumni should be invited in, undergraduates should forego social activities insofar as possible and devote the time to a concentrated school of fraternity instruction.

Every traveling secretary in his rounds acquires a great deal of information concerning not only personalities but chapter operation. In addition, he brings the advantage of specific training for his work. Give him an interested audience and he will give the chapter more in return. If you are planning during your year for a fraternity frolic for no particular reason, wait until you are advised of the approach of the traveling secretary and make the most of his visit.— $\Sigma \Phi \to Journal$.

Sails

I have launched my ship in a stormy sea,
'Tis tussling with mighty gales,
I have my doubts, and I have my fears,
But I have my three strong sails.

And I shall know if the ship is lost,
And I am wrecked at sea,
That it isn't the sail, my three strong sails,
But, it's the Captain of the three.

The sail of Hope, the sail of Faith,
And the sail of Charity
Shall brave the wind and break the gales.
They shall safely anchor me.

A O II—To Dragma

Old Theta Magazines

And what do you do with your Tridents after you have read them? Do you send them to some of those friends who have lost interest? If not, won't you try this year's numbers on four of those friends and let us know the results of your experiment?— $\Delta \Delta \Delta - Trident$

Debate

Lynchburg, Va. Dec. 18.—The Oxford university team of England concluded a nine weeks' debating tour of the United States at Randolph-Macon woman's college here last night, when the local team won by a vote of 341 to 318. The decision was by the audience under the "convent" system. The audience voted prior to the debate 480 favoring free trade and 303 for protection.

The question was, "Resolved, That universal free trade should be adopted by all nations." Oxford affirmed the subject. The Oxford team was composed of Gyles Isham, Michael Franklin and Patrick Monkhouse. The Randolph-Macon team was formed of Misses *Evelyn Thompson, of La Grange, Georgia; Laura Loving, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, and Susan Cobbs, Birmingham, Alabama.—Quoted in K A Journal, Jan. '27.

Values

The fraternity can best serve its college by impressing constantly on all of its members those ideals of friendship, scholarship, and good academic citizenship emphasized in the obligations that fraternity men have assumed.

As has often been pointed out, the fraternity is a selected group, selected first from the grades to attend the high schools, selected second from the high schools to attend college, and selected third from among college men to form a brotherhood pledged to maintaining and advancing the best ideals of academic life. Such a group should be not only what active members usually are, youths of pleasing personality, good mental capacity and fraternal impulses, but they should also be leaders in scholarship and creators of worthy academic traditions. In a word, the fraternity man serves his college best by striving to make himself and his fellows a source of strength and pride to the institution of which his fraternity is a part.—S. Avery, Chancellor, University of Nebraska.

*Evelyn Thompson is a member of Beta Beta chapter of Kappa Alpha Theta.

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Spiritual side of fraternity life depends largely upon the personal contact of those in executive positions with undergraduates.—Chairman, I.F.C.

Friendship

More than other men the scholar needs friendship to sweeten and enlarge life. The university that bans student fraternities closes its windows. Without the fresh breezes of love and laughter the academic grows noxious with the carbon monoxide gas of envy. . . . Friendship means more than the choice of personal companions. It means the benevolent spirit, rooted in good will and blossoming in the desire to give and to bless.—Van Dyke, at Phi Beta Kappa Sesquicentennial.

Did You Ever?

Did you ever move into a strange town or community where you did not know a soul? Have you ever walked the streets, attended church and other functions before you had gotten acquainted and watched the people mingle socially with each other? Do you recall what a lonely feeling it gave you and how you envied and sometimes hated those people because they did not seem to have time for you? Have you ever gone on a vacation trip by yourself and stood aside and watched with a hungry heart the happy associations of groups of people? And even in a community where you have been reared, how many times have you looked with longing and envy at the gay festivities of certain social groups and of business groups of which fate has denied you the privilege of becoming a part because you did not know anyone in that group and there was no particular reason why any one in that group should seek you out? It is a commonplace in American life and yet when it is transferred to the college campus it is called snobbishness.

Σ Φ E Journal.

SERVICE

"To meet the higher and broader demands of mature life." This is the purpose for which the Scholarship fund is helping girls finish their college training, that they may meet the demands of mature life, more confidently, more successfully, and more intelligently. The thing to be determined before we can feel that we are taking part in an indispensible service is—whether or not a college education is of lasting benefit to girls, morally, socially and intellectually; whether in later life as wife, teacher, business woman, or professional woman the influence of her college life affects her contacts with society.

If this influence is for good, (and who will deny the fact?) then we, as college women, in supporting a fund which has helped more than 240 girls obtain more of that beneficial development, are doing an incalculable good. We are helping girls to acquire a fuller understanding of the possibilities of their own personalities. We are serving the fraternity because we are keeping many girls in the college chapters as upperclassmen just when the chapters most need them for their influence and their sharing of fraternity duties. We are serving the colleges of the country by keeping girls of highest types on campus in more consecutive years than they would otherwise be able to manage, thus enabling them to assume a fuller share of their responsibilities to their colleges. We are serving the country at large because we are helping to train girls for more useful service in their communities after they leave their college life behind them.

"A gift to the fund is a gift to Kappa Alpha Theta in perpetuity. It is never spent; it will come in and go out innumerable times and its value to the present and future members of the fraternity is ever present."

Shall we not then solemnly pledge ourselves to work for the increasing usefulness of the Scholarship fund as a living expression of the ideals of Kappa Alpha Theta?"

HELEN PRATT

A FEW FIGURES

At convention the Scholarship fund committee displayed charts that created much interest. That they might reach a larger audience it was planned to reproduce some of them in this magazine. Unfortunately, the limited possibilities of print have made that impractical. So, here are given the figures from two of the maps—figures which seem to be of special general interest.

DISTRICT	CONTRIBUTED	LOANS FROM	
	TO FUND	NUMBER	AMOUNT
District I	.\$ 1,688.00	0	
District II	. 2,279.00	15	\$ 2,890.00
District III		14	3,500.00
District IV	4 200 00	17	5,195.00
District V		20	6,875.00
District VI		12	3,160.00
District VII		6	1,700.00
District VIII	00000	17	4,925.00
District IX		48	14,925.00
District X		21	4,900.00
District XI	000 00	10	2,175.00
Totals	.\$22,072.00	180	\$50,245.00

These figures do not include the annual increase from initiation fees, one dollar from each fee. They represent gifts and loans, as they stood June 1, 1926—both gifts and loans have increased since then.

The difference in district contributions do not represent a relative difference of interest in the fund. Far more Thetas live in some districts than do in others. To represent the relative alumnæ support, a percentage between number of Thetas in a district and the contribution would have to be estimated. Does any one want to prepare such figures for the magazine? The contributions do represent about \$2.00 per capita for living alumnæ.

Likewise, the number of loans per district is not indicative of relative needs, for there are many more college chapters in some districts than others. But they do indicate in a way, better understanding in some places of the fund's mission. How can this understanding be made universal? so no Theta will leave college who might have remained to graduate if she had called upon the fund for the help it is there to give. And just why has there never been a loan made in District I? Surely girls leave college in that district's chapters, as they do everywhere else, for lack of funds? Alumnæ of District I, here is a new mission; to get the college girls acquainted with the Scholarship fund, to help them profit by this fund to which every initiate of the last fifteen years has contributed, in the per cent of national initiation fee which goes to the Scholarship fund.

FRATERNITY VALUES

Desirous of showing how college men think in regard to the relation of their academic training to the occupations in which they are now engaged, the office of personal research of the University of Buffalo last year sent a questionnaire to 713 graduates from more than 70 colleges and universities who were living in or near Buffalo. The replies in the symposium have been consolidated and published in a report which has recently come from the press.

This report is noteworthy from the viewpoint of Greek-letter men because of the tremendous importance placed upon fraternity relationships by the graduates who have answered the questions. Replying to the inquiry, "What activities have been most valuable to you in your present occupation?" more than half of the men—52 per cent is the actual figure—placed first emphasis upon the social contacts that are afforded by a college fraternity.

Analyzing each profession, the investigator discovered that in the aggregate the lawyers, the physicians, the dentists, the teachers, the engineers and the business men accorded social life as expressed by the fraternities pre-eminence as the most valuable extra-curricular heritage of college days. The only exception to this testimony was given by the ministers who pointed to the associations of campus religious groups as being most valuable, with public speaking second and fraternity life third.

Thus is adduced new and valuable testimony in proof of the thesis often advanced that the fraternities are supplementary educational institutions.

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MAILING LISTS

(see S.O.S. page 289)

Here is what happens to an average thousand names on a mailing list after three years, according to *Printer's Ink*:

410 have changed addresses from one to four times.

261 have moved to parts unknown.

7 have died.

1 has gone to jail.

Examination of our own mailing lists gives the further information that of the 410 who have changed addresses from one to four times, 410 have forgotten to notify us of same from one to four times.—Exchange.

IN MEMORIAM

Josephine Woods, Pi

Josephine Woods, Pi, was so seriously injured in an automobile accident near her home in West Branch, Michigan, that she died September 19. In the same accident her mother and a young man who was driving the car, were both killed instantly.

Miss Wood graduated from Albion college in 1897, and at the time of her death was school commissioner of Ogemaw coun-

ty, a position she had held many years.

Mrs Marguerite Hempstead Kingsbury, Iota

Mrs Marguerite Hempstead Kingsbury, Iota '00, died at her home in Ithaca, N. Y. in September after a long illness. Her husband is a professor in Cornell medical college, and there are three children, all of college age.

ADELINE PRENTISS WAIT, Iota
Mrs Adeline Prentiss Wait, Iota '85, died November 9.

ELVA JANE CARADINE, Psi

Elva Jane Caradine, Psi, died in October at her home in Harvard, Illinois, after eighteen months illness with heart trouble.

HELENE GRACE SPANGLER, Alpha Rho and Delta '26

The passing of Helene Spangler is an irreparable loss to all who knew her. Great courage and sweet thoughtfulness were strong qualities of her beautiful character. Always an honor student, her work and inspiration will be sorely missed. We who knew and loved her will ever remember her brilliancy, her purity, and her nobility.

Frances Spangler

Bertha Bradford McGrory, Upsilon

Bertha Bradford McGrory (Mrs Edward L.) died on December 10 in Minneapolis. She graduated from the University of Minnesota in 1895.

HELEN HOLLINGSWORTH SHAFOR, Alpha Gamma

It is with deepest sorrow that Denver alumnæ reports the death of Helen Hollingsworth Shafor (Mrs Ralph). She died in her home in Denver, December 11, 1926.

Helen was born in Janesville, Ohio, May 26, 1890. After attending the Columbus school for girls, she entered Ohio State

university, where she was a member of Alpha Gamma chapter of Kappa Alpha Theta. She would have graduated in 1914 but ill health forced her to leave college in 1913, and go to Colorado.

After his graduation, Helen's fiancé, Ralph Shafor (Phi Gamma Delta—Ohio State) followed her to Denver where he

established his business. They were married in 1917.

It was through Helen's loyal efforts that Denver alumnæ chapter was re-established and made the strong organization it is. For the last few years Helen has not been able to attend meetings, but she has never failed to join the chapter each fall as an active member. The Denver alumnæ chapter has never ceased to feel that she was one of them.

I have never known a more loyal Theta than Helen, nor one who has lived so close to Theta ideals. Her niche in Theta can never be filled.

Josephine Martin Barteldes

EMMA BLESCH, Alpha Gamma

In the death of Emma Blesch, July 7, 1926, Columbus alumnæ lost one of its most enthusiastic and loyal members—one who was always more than willing to give her time and encouragement to anything that would advance the interests and ideals of Kappa Alpha Theta. She was one of the eight charter members of Alpha Gamma, and the first of this number to be called from earth.

She had seen Theta grow at Ohio State university from that small circle to its present numbers. It seemed that her interest in Theta deepened and her love for the fraternity and its ideals

strengthened as the years passed.

The wonderfully happy and cheerful disposition with which she was endowed—her spirit of self-sacrifice and thoughtfulness—her courage and lovable character—all made a lasting impression on her many friends and for these she will be ever remembered.

Grace Eagleson

MILDRED CANDY BRITTINGHAM, Alpha Iota

Mrs Brittingham died at her home in Madison, Wisconsin, in June, 1926.

MARY WILLETS TITUS



A rare spirit has gone before in the passing away of Mary Willets Titus, December 22, 1926. An irreparable loss has come to us who were associated with her for over thirty years, as well as to the younger generation, drawn so closely together, by not only ties of fraternity, but by her rare graciousness of mind and beauty of character. Her life full of interest in doing for others; her love of mankind as evinced in private as well as civic affairs, Mary Titus represented to us the ideal of perfect womanhood. Rightly named Mary, she walked through life in the spirit of Christ and has left some of that intangible influence which has gone down the ages.

Mary Willets Titus was born in Brooklyn, November 19, 1873, the daughter of George Burling and Marietta Willets Titus and came from a generation of Quakers, who settled in Old Westbury, Long Island, which was the family residence until a few years ago. She attended the Friends academy in Locust Valley, Long Island, where she prepared for Swarthmore college, from where she graduated in 1894. She joined Alpha Beta chapter in her junior year and became not only one of the most influential members of her own chapter, but in the fraternity at large. After graduating she became most active in the fraternity; she was one of the earliest members of New York alumnæ chapter, consecutively acting as its treasurer, secretary, chairman of the executive committee, its president for three terms, as well as

three times a delegate to National convention. She also served as chairman of the fraternity examination committee and a member of the investigating committee for the granting of Alpha Zeta (Barnard) and Alpha Kappa (Adelphia) charters, and was District president for the years 1907-1909. From 1924-1926 she was president of New York Swarthmore women's club.

Her civic interests were of no meagre measure in later years when the family moved to Brooklyn. She became a member of the League of women voters, the Maternity center and the Young Women's Christian association, which organizations sought her

because of her poise and sound judgment.

Among the frequent delightful meetings were those held at her picturesque home in Old Westbury, where her dear parents and sisters entered so fully in making those visits of all chapters most memorable. How well we recall the dainty home surroundings with the fine old mahogany furniture and resplendent

silver and withal the Quaker simplicity.

During the last days of her brief illness her stoicism was a part of her inheritance and ever unselfishly devoted to the comforts of others, she thought of the two dear sisters and how to lighten their burden in the consciousness of her certain death. Among her last, so gently expressed wishes was the promise that her Theta pin be buried with her and a touching part of the funeral services was the reading, at her request, of the moral code of the fraternity.

As a tribute of the great esteem in which Mary Willets Titus was held, Alpha Kappa chapter has placed a portrait of her under the charter in their chapter room, with the follow-

ing inscription:

"One whom we loved much, Honored greatly, And shall remember always."

> Olga Neyman, Iota Marjorie Macon Nichols, Alpha Zeta Grace Commiskey, Alpha Kappa

Whereas, Mary Willets Titus, a beloved member of Alpha Beta chapter and an active worker in alumnæ work of Kappa Alpha Theta, passed into the higher life on December 23, 1926,

We, her sisters in Kappa Alpha Theta wish to bear witness to her beautiful life, her ready sympathy and generosity, her unselfish love of others, and to express to her sisters, Alice and Georgiana Titus, our deepest sympathy for their loss.

Kappa Alpha Thetas assembled at Founders'-day luncheon in Philadelphia, January 29, 1927 Is it pessimism that leads the magazine staff to feel the magazine is hardly worth while, when after four years' acquaintance with it as undergraduates, only an occasional alumna ever sends her address to the editor? If it were not for the friendly aid of chapters and friends, few would receive the life sub-

scription issues they are entitled to receive regularly.

To be sure it is not the editor's responsibility, but she does find it a nuisance to have lost address lists in her office, and she does resent paying eight cents return postage on every copy of the magazine that goes to a wrong address, not to mention costs of addressograph corrections, etc. Below are the names of 307 life subscribers that are not receiving their magazines now, because the postoffices have returned copies from the addresses cited—except for those names followed by the statement "no address but Theta house," who have had no issues since chapters reported them no longer active members of college chapters.

S.O.S. sign is here displayed in the hope that some of the readers will know some of these addresses—and send them in.

Thanks muchly for any such help.

L. Pearle Green

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Katherine Hulteen, Tau, Northwestern university. Majel Shulind, Upsilon, University of Minnesota. Peggy Eacho, Beta Lambda, William & Mary college.

Beta-Indiana University

We are proud of Beta's showing at the State luncheon in Indianapolis, January 15. All but two of the active chapter attended. Mrs Lebrecht, Grand president, was a guest at the luncheon, after which she paid Beta a visit. On January 17, Bloomington alumnæ entertained with a tea in Mrs Lebrecht's honor.

Election of officers was January 24 at which time Elizabeth Ferguson was elected president, Dorothy Cowan, vice-president, Vera Reynolds, treasurer, Ruth Kirby, scholarship chairman, Josephine King, corresponding secretary, Margaret Ferguson, editor.

Margaret Meyer, pledge, has the lead in the Jordan River review, an all campus production, in which Isabel Urban also has a leading part. Elizabeth Kemper and Helen Service are in the chorus.

Theta is making a very creditable showing in women's Intramural athletics. Volleyball was the first event, and basketball will follow shortly. Derexa Pentreath is a member of the Intramural board.

Maxine Burger, Goodland, Indiana, who entered college in '24 but was unable to remain on account of ill-health, is returning next semester.

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Katherine Wasmuth

Mr and Mrs Kendrick Grayston (Harriet Wearly) are the parents of a daughter, Marianna, born last summer.

Married, Oct. 10, Helen Tribolet and Joe Welborn, Σ N.

Gamma—Butler University

January 15, District I celebrated Founders'-day with the state luncheon at which Mrs Lebrecht was the honor guest. The night before Gamma had the pleasure of entertaining for her at the chapter house with an informal spread, followed by stunts. We shall never forget having had the opportunity of meeting and becoming acquainted with Theta's charming Grand president. At the luncheon Gamma gave a stunt Five pounds for Theta. In the evening the chapter attended the dance.

December 10 we had a Bohemian dance, a great success. On January 1, the annual New Year's open house was held for

alumnæ and friends.

December 15, Gamma celebrated Christmas with a party at which the pledges entertained with a stunt and original Theta songs. Each class presented the house with gifts: the seniors, a fire-screen; the juniors, three table-runners; the sophomores, a rose-petal jar; the freshmen, two pillows. From our Mothers' club Gamma received a much-needed dining-room rug and six card tables. Alumnæ presented us with an awe-inspiring gift, an Orthophonic. A slumber party was held at the house that night and early the next morning we carolled at the other fraternity houses.

Scribblers club has been granted a charter of Theta Sigma Phi and will be known as the Alpha Phi chapter. June Jackson is one of the charter members. Eleanor Dunn has been appointed chairman of May Day celebration, given annually by Women's league. February 25 the Panhellenic dance will be held.

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Helen Louise Wilson

The marriage of Avanelle Thorp and Francis Alden Sommers took place Feb. 2. They will live in Indianapolis.

Born to Mr and Mrs Lawrence Henderson (Mary Montgomery) a son. Born to Mr and Mrs Louis Hensley (Dorothy Reissner) a son.

Gamma Deuteron-Ohio Wesleyan University

Gamma Deuteron inflates her chest and announces with pride the following elections: Jean Coman and Dorothy Holden to Theta Alpha Phi, drama; Janet Page to Alpha Sigma Nu, gymnastic; Marion Yocum to Delta Phi Delta, art; and Margaret Knight to Kappa Delta Pi, educational.

However, elections have not been our sole occupation. Cleora Bell has gained a place on Women's debate and has just left Delaware on a ten-day debating trip. Dotty Holden and Janet Page were in the annual Gamma Phi circus. Finally, Theta came through with a splash in the recent swimming pageant given by the Women's athletic association with Jean Coman taking the leading role of King Neptune, and Dorothy Holden, Janet Page, and Virginia Parker all in prominent parts.

Following a "See your chapter first" plan, we have been featuring a social hour planned by a special program committee after chapter meetings. So far, we have had a theater party, a supper party, and a bridge and feed—the latter in honor of our latest crop of engaged girls: Betty Hall, Josephine Cole, Bessie Rhodes, Ernestine Biddle, and Marian Yocum. The plan gives a chance for social gatherings of just Thetas, a thing hard to accomplish any other way with no fraternity house.

Our informal dance, December 3, was an old-fashioned barn dance. The hall was decorated with harness, corn stalks, and quantities of hay while the orchestra was costumed appropriately in over-alls. Having emerged from the chaotic merriment of this party, we shake the hayseed out of our hair, just in time to make preparations for an extensive and arduous rushing

season which begins February 8.

1 February 1927

Jean Leet

Born: to Mr and Mrs Allen Long (Dorothy Crates) a daughter, Eleanor Ross.

Married: Frances Auxter to Raymond Wright, Dec. 25. Mr and Mrs Wright are living in Toledo, Ohio, where Mr Wright is an osteopathic physician.

Delta-University of Illinois

For the first time Delta was honored with a visit from a Grand president. Mrs Lebrecht was with us a few days. Two luncheons were given for her, one by Champaign-Urbana alumnæ January 12, the day of her arrival, and the following noon Mrs Nell Holland Ramey entertained in her home. At Founders'-day banquet, Thursday evening, a short program was given by our talented pledges, after which Mrs Lebrecht gave a most interesting talk. We enjoyed having her with us so much, and only wish she could have stayed longer.

Our Christmas party, given the night before vacation, was a huge success. After foolish presents had been exchanged we gathered around the fireplace where popcorn balls and hot chocolate were served.

We appreciated so much the lovely set of Haviland china and the mahogany music cabinet sent to us by Dr Rust, as a memorial to his daughter, Louise Rust Foster. The gifts had been suggested by her mother. It is an annual custom for the freshmen and seniors to present a gift to the house. This year they surprised us with an orthophonic victrola.

Alberdine Hatcher, pledge, won the individual cup in the sales for the Woman's Welfare comedy, *Listen Lester*. Helen Oldfather is on the accommodation committee for the National Woman's league.

Delta announces the pledging of Marjorie Wilson of Urbana, Illinois. Marjorie is active in Y.W.C.A.

January 8, our pledges entertained the upperclassmen with an informal dance. The effect of a winter carnival was carried out by many Christmas trees and confetti.

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Mary Margaret Glenn

Born to Mr and Mrs E. R. Davis (Ione Leach) a daughter in Dec. The engagement of Isabel Hanford to Ralph Olmstead, Z Ψ , has been announced.

Mr and Mrs George Voss (Ruth Franklin) announce the birth of a daughter, Dec. 24.

Irene Bollman's engagement to Dr F. L. Kunsel of Hartford, Conn. is announced.

Mrs C. C. Taylor (Aenid Tankersley) is studying at Wesleyan college of law, Bloomington, Ill. where she lives.

Eta-University of Michigan

The end of the first semester is close at hand and all are looking forward to new courses. Eta regrets that she is losing, through graduation, Alice MacDonald. January 27, two pairs of room mates were joint hostesses at a spread in her honor, to which the chapter and Mrs E. B. Vedder, chaperon, were invited. Just sitting around and chatting with each other over the tea-cups made us forget finals for awhile.

The university's largest affair, the J-Hop, will take place February 11, as a fitting close to the semester. Thetas who are attending are: Virginia Fox, Muriel Anderson, Florine Storrey, Gladys Allen, Frances Andreae, Marjorie Wilson, Ellen Grinnell, Margaret Seamon, Louise Murray and Virginia Sands; and pledges, Virginia Trowbridge, Margaret Moore, and Margaret Traphagen.

Rehearsals for the annual Junior girls' play, Eight 'til eight, have been in progress for three weeks. Josephine Mitts and Mary Louise Murray have cast parts, while six Thetas are in choruses.

The pledges are giving the chapter a dance February 25. Selma Alexander was initiated into Theta Sigma Phi, January 11.

March 5, is the date of Eta's formal initiation. We hope to have many alumnæ back.

Eta was glad to have as a visitor, Beverley Caldwell, Beta Lambda, who drove out from Detroit where she has been spending the winter.

Founders'-day was celebrated jointly with Detroit alumnæ chapter with a luncheon at the Wardell, January 29.

1 February 1927 Virginia Sands

Born to Mr and Mrs E. A. Giard (Beatrice Lambrecht) a daughter, Beatrice Andrea, Sept. 10.

Iota—Cornell University

The dual personality of Santa Claus was discovered at the traditional Christmas party given by Ithaca alumnæ. All Thetas in Ithaca were invited to an informal supper around the Christmas tree, at the home of Mrs Willis. Mrs Comstock read us a delightful Christmas story. Meanwhile Santa Claus appeared in the guise of two distinctly opposite persons. No one has decided which was the true Santa Claus. Probably they were both impostors. In spite of their hoary beards, they both displayed equally feminine charm. When he appeared at the chapter house later in the week he(?) cast aside all disguise, so there was no question—there was an impostor.

Our faculty tea was the first Sunday after Christmas vacation. Mrs L. P. Smith, Mrs Sailor, Miss Rebecca Harris and Mrs Willis poured. Mrs O'Connell, our new chaperon, received.

We have also entertained several members of the faculty at dinner; Dean Fitch, the new Dean of women, Professor Drummond, head of the Public speaking department and director of the Dramatic club, Professor Smith of the English department, Professor and Mrs Lorenz, visiting physicist from Holland, and Professor and Mrs Andrews, of the Greek Archaeology department.

Several Thetas have been elected to honorary organizations: Katherine Reilly and Mildred Johnson to Pi Lambda Theta, educational; and Betty Clark and Ann Haggstrom to Alpha Chi Alpha, journalistic.

January 15, Iota and Ithaca alumnæ celebrated Founders'-day with a luncheon at Willard Straight. Miss L. Pearle Green acted as toast-mistress. Mrs Comstock talked about *Theta Spirit*. She contrasted college life in general with that which existed when Theta was young. Mrs Louise Roux Jones presented the Friendship fund plans. Miss Mildred Watt, in behalf of non-

resident alumnæ of Iota presented the chapter with eighty-eight dollars, a delightful surprise which was received with great appreciation.

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Zenia Powell

Hope Cushman visited us last week before leaving for California where she will spend the rest of the winter.

Mrs Emma Gilbert Shorey visited the chapter house when Professor

Shorey spoke at Cornell in Dec.

We are pleased that Esther Walsh teaches at Chenango Falls because it makes it possible for us to see her frequently. Married, Jan. 8, Elizabeth H. Royce and Edward Hargrave Pattison,

Cornell '19. Address: 21 Locust st. Troy, N.Y.

Mr and Mrs Kerr Atkinson (Elsie Church) with William Church, aged two years, and Elisabeth Holley, aged ten months, are living at 27 Claffin Rd. Brookline, Mass.

Kappa—University of Kansas

The big activity for the month of December was our annual Christmas banquet, December 17. The usual joke presents were given to each girl. The chapter received two lovely gifts, silver from their housemother, Mrs Shanklin, and a fire set from Lawrence Theta alumnæ club. Towards the end of the evening all eyes turned toward the kitchen door-for what is a Christmas dinner without at least one box! Two arrived, which of course turned the meal into a hubbub of squeals and congratulations. The two girls who received our good wishes were Mary Nell Hamilton and Stella Williams.

January 28, we joined with alumnæ from Kansas City and neighboring towns, in a Founders'-day banquet, at the Ambassador hotel, in Kansas City. Our beloved Grand president, Mrs Lebrecht, was present, and the occasion was one to be long remembered. The evening before, the alumnæ club in Lawrence had held a Founders'-day celebration which proved to be a de-

lightful time of friendly reminiscence.

A tradition on K.U. campus is the annual Christmas tree, December 17. Before this night candles are sold, the price of which is the student's contribution to a fellowship fund for European students. The gift is presented to the Chancellor that night as the student-body gathers around an immense decorated and lighted pine tree, growing on the campus. After the ceremony the students who have contributed light their candles in the windows of their houses, and the glee-clubs serenade them with Christmas carols. Mary Engle, Mary Sisson, and Elizabeth Walker were all on the executive committee for the planning of the Christmas tree events.

Kappa chapter is happy over the pledging, February 3, of Helen Trusty from Kansas City, Missouri.

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Mary Sisson

Laura Jackman is now Mrs John Shanley, and is living at 107 E. Laurel st. San Diego, Calif.

The address of Rebecca Moody Burkholder (Mrs Joseph) is-215 S.

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Mr and Mrs J. Anson Mock (Helen Scott) are living at Apt. 6, 115 S. Belmont st. Wichita, Kan.

The new address of Mrs Claude Clement (Ruby Barnette) is Alton, Ill.

Lambda—University of Vermont

January 14 dedication of the Ira Allen chapel occurred. The chapel is a gift from James Wilbur of New York, as a tribute to Ira Allen, founder of the University of Vermont. A choir was chosen for the morning service from the Glee clubs, with Margaret Wallace and Catharine Bassett representing Theta. In the afternoon an organ recital and Glee club concert was given at which Catharine Bassett and Margaret and Katherine Griffith

Rushing preparations have begun in earnest. The first open house will be January 31, another follows February 5, and Theta's final party is February 11. Bids go out the following

Saturday and pledging follows in about one week.

January 29 Burlington alumnæ entertained the college chapter for Founders'-day with a buffet supper at the house. A huge chocolate cake, in the shape of our pin, caused more exclamations than the excellent supper. An "intelligence test" followed. Various noted characters, events, books, and quotations were acted out for us to guess. The house was presented with a new dishpan by our house mother and new dish towels by alumnæ.

Rachael Ward Herricks was a guest at Founders'-day party, having returned to Burlington to live. Mildred Whitney has come back to complete her sophomore year which was inter-

rupted last spring by sickness.

Margaret Corbin has been elected manager of her class basketball team. Naomi Thorne is manager of her class team. Catharine Bassett is on the Sophomore hop committee and Margaret Miller is on the Football hop committee. Dorothy Strong is secretary of her class.

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Anna Perkins

News has been received of the birth of a daughter, Nancy, to Mr and Mrs Harold Mayforth (Mabel Watts).

Omicron-University of Southern California

Omicron has had a lovely social time, a victorious swimming meet, and an acknowledgment of her clever ideas by the campus

as a whole, since the last Kappa Alpha Theta.

At Christmas time came our formal—a dinner dance—recorded the most successful in years, thanks to our capable vice-president, Mary Bryant. Under Mary's reign we also gave our annual Mother's and Father's Christmas party. At this affair, the parents of pledges and actives meet each other and meet the girls, and get a broader understanding of Theta. There is always a big decorated Christmas tree, presents are opened, and a real holiday spirit enjoyed. We received linen, china, plants and palms, and canned fruits from parents, and a handsome brass wood basket from our alumnæ. Thank you all again!

The Christmas party for poor children came next. We were as thrilled and enjoyed the presents, candy canes, ice cream, and Christmas stories, as much as did those ragged little kiddies.

An exchange dinner with Beta Xi chapter was loads of fun. We became well acquainted and hope that our chapters may come closer together, so that we may fulfill in actual deed, instead of thought only, the fellowship ideals of Theta.

Delta Sigma Delta and Omicron gave an exchange dance

after the Christmas holidays.

With a ten point lead, Theta annexed the first of two Panhellenic swimming meets, the other to be held in March. The cup is already in the possession of Omicron, and if she is successful another year, the cup remains with her. Jemima Walters, Janet Burns, Jessie Lois Deeble and Mary Main were on the team.

Omicron won first prize for the best decorated woman's house, and first prize for the most original float at the annual Home-coming parade, which preceded the Notre Dame-Southern California game. The prize winning ideas belong to Alice Mc-Intosh and Janet Farrington.

Omicron was honored by the attendance of Mrs Edna Wilde Brooks, president of District VI, and by Mrs Lavinia Stinson

Daley at a regular meeting recently.

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Mary Main

Rho-University of Nebraska

Second semester started with a bang. We regret that Helen Bramman and Beth Paffenrath did not return. Beth is teaching in Wilsonville, and Helen is remaining at home. Winona Soller, after a long illness, was repledged, as was Beulah Butler. There was no formal mid-semester rushing.

Initiation was held December 3 for Mabel Raines, graduate student. After initiation the upperclassmen were honored at a lovely luncheon given by their fraternity daughters at the Hotel Cornhusker. Fifty-four covers were laid in the Chinese room which was beautifully decorated with yellow jonquils.

Sixty small children attended our annual Christmas party. Toys, clothing, and candy were distributed by Santa Claus, after which they were entertained at dinner and returned to their homes. The annual Christmas tree for the Thetas was also pronounced a great success, thanks to the clever stunt staged by the freshmen.

Rho's formal will be at the Hotel Lincoln February 19. Invitations have been sent and plans completed for decoration and entertainment.

Lincoln alumnæ is entertaining at a luncheon at the house February 5, celebrating the fortieth anniversary of Rho chapter.

Omaha alumnæ recently gave Rho a handsome bronze table lamp with a beautifully etched shade. The chapter is grateful to alumnæ and Mothers' club for lovely things they have given the house, including new linen napkins. An Orthophonic, Christmas present from pledges, further ornaments the living room. Study desks are to be installed in the downstairs library.

1 February 1927 Ellen Hahn

The engagement of Helen Bramman to Paul Larson, Δ T, was announced during the holidays.

Ruth Sunderland has returned to college after a two months' visit in New York.

Sigma—University of Toronto

Sigma glowed with pride one evening, when two members of Pi Beta Phi arrived at our apartment with the beautiful silver Scholarship cup donated by their fraternity to the Toronto university Panhellenic society. Our pride we felt was justified not because Kappa Alpha Theta was the first name to be engraved upon the cup but because of the unbroken record of Kappa Alpha Theta at the head of the Scholarship list of women's fraternities at the University of Toronto.

The most exciting event of the season was our combined initiation and Founders'-day banquet. Initiation was at the home of Nora Doran on January 29, when eleven pledges joined their links to our chain. Afterwards we took the initiates on to a bang up banquet in the King Edward hotel. Mrs Norma

Hendricks Starr, Alpha Xi, who is living in Toronto, made a most delightful response to the toast *Fraternity*.

Sigma has lost her editor by the marriage of Jessie Paterson to John Russel Grey. The blessings of the chapter and loving wishes for happiness accompany her to her new home in Detroit.

1 February 1927 Elizabeth H. Watson

Edith Troop's engagement to Eric Prince of Ottawa, has been announced.

Jessie Paterson married John Russel Grey.

Born to Mr and Mrs Henderson (Mona McLaughlin) a daughter, Bridget.

Born to Mr and Mrs George Troop (Marjorie Atwood) a son, Peter

Morrow.

Phi-Stanford University

Second quarter brings the lake, water sports, and more concrete thoughts about rushing, which begins in Spring quarter. Panhellenic voted to have no rushing during winter quarter this year, so all efforts will be concentrated on the ten-day period following April 1. In preparation we are planning as many improvements for the house as our financial condition will permit and have started with the purchase of some much-needed silver candlesticks and tea napkins. The alumnæ have presented us with a lamp, and Ruth Jordan, senior, gave us a lovely yellow bowl on a black stand for the chapter room. We are hoping to have more improvements and perhaps expansion as our numbers are gradually increasing. This quarter Charlotte Lovekin, Edwina Ewing, and Anne Bancroft are living in the house and Ruth Bowen is registered. We hope to have Barbara Perkins back in the house next quarter, but as head senior sponsor she is remaining in Roble one more quarter—the only fraternity girl in the hall.

Ruth Mason was elected hockey manager for 1927, Barbara Frick is sophomore basketball captain. Dorothy Cone made the all-star hockey team. Barbara Marx and Madeline Frick have just been elected to Tau Psi Epsilon, psychology society. Ruth Jordan made Cap and Gown, women's senior society. Edwina Ewing was the accepted success of the sophomore play, The book of charm. She and Barbara Frick have parts in The swan to be presented in February. Margaret Owen represented Stanford in December at the National student's conference. Charlotte Lovekin and Helen Bell are on the committee which is

revising the student body constitution.

Founders'-day banquet at the Mark Hopkin's hotel in San Francisco was much enjoyed by Phi and gave all her members a wonderful opportunity to meet many alumnæ and the active members of Omego.

1 February 1927

Dorothy Cone

Mary Elizabeth Beedy and Lorimer Harrell, Σ A E, were married in San Francisco Feb. 8.

Ruth Lee Thygeson is registered this quarter.

Elizabeth Spillman was married to Milton Rosenfeld, Christmas day. Address: 121 Castelleja av. Palo Alto, Calif.

Born, to Mr and Mrs Norton Sager Brown (Carolyn Pierce) a daugh-

ter, Elizabeth Sager, Dec. 28.

Born to Mr and Mrs Maxwell Clarke King (Barbara Loomis) a son, Nov. 18. New address 150 S. Fuller av. Los Angeles, Calif.

Born to Mr and Mrs R. H. Kimball (Katrine Fairclough) Dec. 17,

a daughter, Margaret Fairclough.

The engagement of Alberta Marx and Harland Brown Graham, Illinois '17, is announced.

Mr and Mrs W. L. Hast (Elizabeth Stone) have a six months old daughter, Jo Ann.

Born, in Nov. a son to Mr and Mrs Dale Van Every (Ellen Calhoun). Born, Nov. 24, Frances Amelia, daughter of Mr and Mrs Robert Wenzell (Frances Brown).

Several Phi alumnæ are active in organizations of Stanford alumnæ; Mrs Elizabeth Hogue Moore is president and Mrs Helen Green Cross, secretary of San Francisco Stanford women; Mrs Elizabeth Russell Montgomery is secretary of Illinois Stanford women; and Mrs Helen Monroe McNiece, secretary of the Manilla, P.I. Stanford club.

Mrs Ada Edwards Laughlin is spending the winter with her son in

New York city. Address: 52 Gramercy Park, No.

Mr and Mrs Robert H. Baker (Anne Nutt) are in Hilo, Hawaii, where Mr Baker is District manager for the Matson lines.

Chi-Syracuse University

Chi's Christmas formal dance December 11, was a replica of a cold northern forest of fur trees, glistening snow and long tapering icicles. To further the scene, and lend atmosphere, white balloons floated from the ceiling. Every one felt the holiday spirit and a successful party is due to the clever engineering of Dorothy Kelley, chairman of the dance committee.

Many Thetas are out for hockey; Elizabeth C. Bull is captain of the junior class team. From recent basketball elections Chi has the captain of the senior class team, Margaret Hill, and the captain of the freshman class team, Jean Barnes. Frances Van Den Burgh was appointed, manager of freshman basketball teams. Elections in swimming, last month, made Lorna Noyes captain of the junior class team, and Juanita Tickner captain of the sophomore team.

During the two weeks of final examination Chi held study hall in the dining room, morning, afternoon and night. This

was presided over by an upperclassman. It was particularly for the freshmen who were unable to study in their living centers, also, to give them upperclass assistance if they should want it.

February 4, Chi and Syracuse alumnæ join to celebrate Founders'-day; it is called the birthday for the chapter. Supper will be at 6 o'clock at the house, the freshmen putting on some skits. The alumnæ have contributed to a fund, and at the party will surprise the college chapter with some welcome gift.

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Grayce A. Benedict

Feb. 3 Martha Hahn married Everett Schultz, Δ T, of Syracuse and Cornell.

Announcement was made Jan. 16 of the engagement of Doris Gordon

and Charles Cross, $\Phi \Gamma \Delta$.

At a luncheon given at her home the engagement of Elizabeth Emond and Edward Ashe, Cornell, was announced.

Psi-University of Wisconsin

We are in the midst of final examinations. Psi has been on probation this semester because the chapter average was below the university all-sorority average, 1.587. Kappa Delta was first with an average of 1.8; Psi's average was 1.56, which is almost "Good." The standard is not a stable one. It fluctuates each semester, and in order to get off probation, a chapter must make a weighted average of 2. We feel that the situation merits this explanation, for Psi found herself on probation with an average that would be a satisfactory one in a system wherein the standard did not change. Each of us has talked and thought of grades all semester, and we have worked. We hope to report a better standing for this semester—even with a non-stable requirement to work against. After this introduction Psi is proud to announce that Helen Huntzicker made sophomore high honors last semester.

Alice Brown, president of Woman's self government association and member of Mortar board, has been initiated into Phi Kappa Phi. Of the thousand members in the senior class, only forty-five men and girls were chosen for this honor, the selection being made on the basis of scholarship, character, and activities. Mildred Anderson is a member of Mu Phi Epsilon. Elizabeth Landschulz made Delta Pi Delta, art society. Gertrude Humbert is president elect of the French club. Katherine Keebler is a district chairman in W.S.G.A. She and Pamelia Lawrence are members of Y.W.C.A. commission. Marjorie Robinson is on Panhellenic board. Helen von Weise, Elizabeth Evans, and Elizabeth Failing were in the Panhellenic style show. Mary Har-

mount is chairman of the reception committee for the Junior Promenade February 6, for which Patricia Child and Martha Brown are on committees. Mildred McCune is on the 1928 Badger staff; Helen MacGowan in its circulation department, and Janet Smith on its Women's athletics. Edith Finn, Martha Carson, Harriet Olds, and Marion Longley made the Dolphin swimming club. Elizabeth Gilmore was on the junior hockey team and also organized a Theta basketball quintet that easily defeated the student nurses from the University hospital training school. Mary Bishop, Virginia Skinner, Evelyn Olsen, and Effay Beynon are members of Wisconsin players. Mary is a member of National Collegiate players as well. In October the University players gave The goose hangs high, and Psi was proud to see grandmother Virginia, mother Mary Bishop, and flapper-granddaughter Effay all in the same production!

Helene Glenny, Waterloo, Iowa, and Pamelia Lawrence, Delevan, Wisconsin, were initiated October 10. Isabelle Farrington was toastmistress at the banquet. November 11, Marion Dreisen, Marionette, and Mary Catherine Lloyd, Cincinnati, Ohio, were

oledged.

Alumnæ banquet was the Sunday after Home-coming. Grace Cloes Stedman was toastmistress. Founders'-day was celebrated January 21 with a formal dinner at the house. Mrs Grasett came down from Winnetka for that week-end. Hearing her speak at banquet and learning to know her informally has given us a deeper National consciousness. Ethel Churchill Watson acted as toastmistress, and as the toasts were proposed, Psi's Theta tree grew complete—from roots to needles. Calla Guyles, Alpha Psi, lighted the four candles in memory of the Founders; Lottie Wood Churchill told us about the first years of Psi; Lillian Hughes Neiswanger, Alpha Upsilon, spoke on practical idealism and the members of Grand council; Mary Bishop of the chapter-branches; and Mary Martin of the pledges-needles. "Needless to say" it was one of our most beautiful Founders'-day banquets.

October 11 Psi had Welcome service for all from other chapters who are in the university. Mary Thom and Dorothy Murphy of Alpha Psi, Rachel Baird, Beta Xi, and Emily Owen, Alpha Iota, are living at the chapter house. Florence Selmer and Ruth Dunham, Alpha Psi, Genevieve Vold, Alpha Pi, and

Flora Stewart, Tau, were also welcomed.

We are missing Ann Snodgrass and Marion Anderson who were forced to withdraw on account of illness. They both will be back next fall.

There are so many new fraternity houses that soon we will need a new map of Langdon street. Alpha Chi Omega and Chi Omega have moved into their houses. Delta Gamma, Gamma Phi Beta, Phi Mu, and Kappa Delta are building, and Alpha Phi will break ground in the spring.

We deeply appreciate the beautiful picture given to us by Milwaukee alumnæ in memory of Gladys Buchner Nelson.

29 January 1927

Elizabeth Mahorney

Dr Mary Raudenbush is resident physician at George Peabody college for teachers, Nashville, Tenn. She spent last year in Europe, studying at Vienna.

Mr and Mrs Gordon Beacham (Marjorie Crothers) are spending their furlough from mission work in Africa at Mrs Crother's home, Willoughby, Ohio.

Mrs Lester Lessing (Katherine Keen) has a new address (a home they have just built) 25 Willow Brook av. Lansdowne, Pa.

Mary Dunton Simpson (Mrs Roger) is living at 14 Huntington st.

Lowell, Mass.

Phyllis Schurmann and Edwin King Nelson Jr. were married Oct. 3. Address: 111 Hyde Park pl. Tampa, Fla.

Martha Buell and Louis Byrn Slichter were married Oct. 20.

The engagement of Elizabeth Brown and John Chorlog, $\Phi \Sigma K$, has been announced. Betty is now a bacteriologist in the laboratory of the Beloit branch of the Wisconsin Public health department.

Martha Williamson, who has been assisting in the Department of history and criticism of art this semester, is sailing in Feb. for several months in Europe.

Mr and Mrs Ray Schmidt (Betty Stukey) are living in Beloit, Wis. 1021 Milwaukee Rd.

Mr and Mrs Jefferson E. Greer (Dorothy Kimball) are living in Wellington, Tex. c/o Greer ranch.

Mr and Mrs George E. Frieze (Miriam Cutler) are living in Sioux Falls, S.D.

Births: A son to Mr and Mrs Chas. Bauer (Isabelle Fairbanks); a son, Sage Thomas, to Mr and Mrs M. C. Gunderson (Martha Sage); a son, O'Brien John Doyle, to Mr and Mrs Wilfred O'Brien Doyle (Catherine Kenney).

Omega-University of California

With the opening of college, rushing started again. Due to an accident, in which Edyth Henderson, pledge, was quite seriously injured, Omega gave no dinner the last night. However, we are happy to report that Edyth is much improved, and January 20, we pledged Adrienne Hedger and Rosine Hensley, both of San Francisco. Rosine Hensley is a sister of Marion Hensley.

January 27, joining with Phi, and the San Francisco and Berkeley alumnæ chapters, Omega celebrated Founders'-day

with a banquet at the new Mark Hopkin's hotel in San Francisco. Both college chapters were well represented.

Mary Belcher was chosen to play the leading part, Helen of Troy, in *Trojan women*, to be presented by the Little theater. Marion Garrettson has a dancing lead in the same play. Adrienne Hedger, Constance Pedder, and Marion Garrettson, will be in this year's Parthenia, *Rañana*, which is the women's fête, presented in the spring. Walden Herreshoff, and Mary Oliver, are active in tennis. Margaret Martin, Helen Munger, Ruth Schneider, Constance Pedder, Rosine Hensley, and Adrienne Hedger are assisting in Y.W.C.A. drive for funds. Hazel Kay, and Mary E. Clark are actively interested in crop and saddle. Marion Garrettson and Mary E. Clark are active members of the Advisory system, which aids new students entering the university. Marion Garrettson has been appointed chairman of the arrangements committee for the Junior Prom.

31 January 1927 Mary E. Clark

Katherine McElrath Black (Mrs J. B.) is moving to New York, where Mr Black has just become vice-president of the North American power co.

Edith Clapp Snook has left Casper, Wyo. and is now living in Berkeley.

Margaret Powell Kidder (Mrs S. J.) has left El Paso and will live in a coal mining district in the Tennessee mountains where her husband is an engineer.

Dorothy Moore Brown (Mrs Frank) has become a professional photographer of children.

Janie Harris has gone to China for six months to visit her sister,

Catherine Harris (Mrs Ernest).

Cornelia Stratton Parker (Mrs Carlton) who is living in Cambridge, 43 Linnaean st. where her eldest son is at Harvard, will visit friends in Berkeley in Mar.

Helen Curtis Snook was married in Jan. to Maurice I. Biencourt, professor at Southern Branch.

Jan. 29 Elizabeth Thomas's engagement to Robert Whitfield Gerhart, A Δ Φ , was announced.

Harriet Judd Eliel (Mrs Paul) with her son, is leaving for a trip to Europe in Feb. to be gone six months.

Alpha Beta-Swarthmore College

Excitement at Swarthmore is running high. The cause is news that the women's fraternity lodges and student building are to be started in the spring. Since last week's decision by the alumnæ committee, we have been debating about plans and dreaming of furnishings. The buildings will probably be ready for use by fall; that also means ready for visitors and it will be Alpha Beta's pleasure to have her house on display.

A more intense present interest is initiation, which will be February 11 at the home of Edith Wilson Jackson whose daughter will be one of the initiates. This will be followed the next evening by our formal dinner-dance held at the Manufacturers' club in Philadelphia. We have already had one initiation, for Julia Kehew, December 14. January 14 we pledged Esther Shallcross.

In recent class elections Elizabeth Clack was elected sophomore vice-president, and Catherine Hatfield freshman vice-president, Margaret Worth has been elected to the editorial board of *Portfolio* and to the Honor committee. On the basketball squad Theta is represented by Diane Follwell, Anne Kennedy and Frances Bates. Anne Kennedy has been elected Hockey captain for next year.

First semester ends January 29. For the short vacation immediately following, Esther White is entertaining the juniors and seniors of the chapter at her home in Atlantic City. We expect to have a marvelous time relaxing after the strenuous

activities of exam week.

29 January 1927

Edna M. Shoemaker

Alpha Gamma-Ohio State University

At a spread December 6, the Marjorie Dean honor badge was awarded to Louise Johnson, as the best all around Theta in the sophomore class.

Our first dance took place December 10. Held in a gaily

decorated ballroom, it was a great success.

It has been decided that the Mary Loren badge shall be an honor badge for the Theta who, throughout her junior year in college, attains the highest scholarship of her class. This year the badge was awarded to Helen McCray, at a joint tea of college and alumnæ Thetas, December 8.

Bulah Ashbaugh was singled out for a campus honor not long ago. She was selected by a varied committee of artists and campus representatives, to receive the title of "College widow."

The alumnæ, who have been untiring in their work for the chapter, and who last year brought Marion Talley to Columbus, are this year bringing the English singers. According to reports, they are something unique in the way of musical entertainment, and exceedingly worth while. We all hope that this venture will be as successful as that of last year.

31 January 1927

Anne Kilbourne

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Josephine Brandon, Aug. 4, 1926, to Robert Snypp, Φ K Ψ .

Dec. 28, Clare Snider was married to Roy Smith, κ $\Sigma.$ They are at home in Kankakee, Ill.

Alpha Delta-Goucher College

January 22 we pledged LaVentia Simmons (daughter of La-Ventia Russell Simmons, Chi.

The senior play will be Yellow jacket. Five Theta seniors, Pauline Spelman, Loraine Fitzgerald, Helen Sheppard, Mary Wilmer Haines and Mary Jane Crane have parts.

Laota Mark, pledge, was elected freshman sing song chairman. Laota, incidentally, has a beautiful voice and was one of the soloists in the college carol service just before Christmas.

Founders'-day was celebrated with a luncheon at Alumnæ lodge January 29. Several members of Washington alumnæ were with Alpha Delta and Baltimore alumnæ on this occasion. The Founders'-day ritual service was used.

One of the get-together parties of chapter and alumnæ, which all enjoy so much, will take place at Esther Smith's home, February 6.

Saturday, February 19, initiation will be held at Virginia Davis's home for Elizabeth Corbell, Nancy Grey Larrick, Bertha May Smith, Evelyn Crady, Virginia Dresch, Janet Jeffery, Margaret Kruesi, Laota Mark, Mary Stevens Mitchell, Margaret O'Conner, Kathryn Wick, LaVentia Simmons. After initiation there will be a banquet at the Southern hotel.

5 February 1927

Mary Jane Crane

Born, in Jan. to Mr and Mrs Donald Wilson (Flora Winkleman) a daughter, Ann Stewart.

Married, Feb. 5 in Evansville, Ind. Helene Cleveland and Jackson

Kidd. They will live in Baltimore, Md.

The engagement of Elizabeth Sawyer and Joseph M. Barr, Φ Δ Θ , Pennsylvania, was announced at a Christmas holiday luncheon.

Alpha Eta-Vanderbilt University

The second term, beginning after Christmas holidays, found us without two of our girls, Mary Hughes and Sara Catron Smith, mid-year graduates. But we pledged Janie Smithson Bruce, Harriet Smithson's cousin, January 10, and initiated her with our six other freshmen, Annie Brown, Mary Doud, Martha Foster, Annie G. Greenlaw, Elizabeth Simpson, and Marianne Widener, January 15. Sara Catron Smith and Mary Hughes left with Eugenia Porter for Florida, this morning.

Founders'-day banquet and dance just four days off! The banquet will be at the Hermitage with Roberta Dillon Lyon

toastmistress, and the dance will be at Alumnæ Memorial hall. Each year we get all enthusiastic about girls' basketball.

Practice has already started and Theta intends to win the cham-

pionship cup. We just must.

Twice every month now, the student body is giving a tea, or open house, for faculty and students. It is hoped this will help us to know each other better and unify the university in a more personal way.

To all those who knew and loved him, January 5 a memorial service was held in Chapel for Mr Sawney Webb, one of the

South's oldest and greatest educators.

23 January 1927

Eleanor Jackson

Mrs T. J. Mosley (Frances Slemons) has moved to College Hills, Madison, Wisc.

Mrs Clark Statler (Lucinda Trabue) is living in Pelham, N. Y. Mary Ransom is teaching at Winthrop college, Rock Hill, S. C.

Catherine Mims is working with the Charity organization society in New York City.

Mrs Walter Cheers (Carmine Clark) is living in Denver, Col.

Thaniel Dozier was married to Mr E. C. Armistead. They are living in Nashville, Tenn.

Mrs Ralph Green (Anne Cary) has moved to Chicago.

Mrs Ralph Doud (Rosa Ambrose) was in Nashville for initiation.

Elizabeth Harris, who is teaching in Huntsville, was in Nashville for Founders'-day banquet and dance.

Isabel Howell is studying in the library school at Columbia university.

Alpha Theta-University of Texas

The upperclassmen had a Christmas tree for the pledges early in December before finals. The upperclassmen were dressed as ladies of a bygone era while the pledges were dressed in "kid" clothes. The gifts were significant and elever and a real Santa Claus was there to distribute them.

The second week in January Mrs H. C. Weaver, our District president, spent a few days with us. We would have liked to have kept her with us longer but she has promised to come again real soon. We had a tea for her.

January 23 we initiated Helen Kaulbach of Beaumont, Myra Marshall of Commerce, and Katherine Randle of Fort Worth.

January 26 the pledges entertained the upperclassmen and alumnæ with a stunt party.

January 27 we had our annual Founders'-day banquet at the Stephen F. Austin hotel. Clara Currie of Amarillo was toast-mistress. A nautical theme was featured. Jane Burgess Shields toasted the Founders, Lee Wooflin the alumnæ, Laura Eleanor

Marks the college chapter, and Morris Rowland the pledges. Mrs Undine Brown Charlton told of the plans for the new Theta house which will be built in the spring. The following out-of-town Thetas returned for the banquet: Clara Currie, Hallie Maude Neff, Lee Wooflin, Virginia Wooflin, Margaret Clements, Lucy Rountree Kuykendall, Jane Burgess Shields, and Virginia Donaldson Holden.

Isabel Blackmon has re-entered college this term. She will

get her degree in June.

We are all taking six courses and have hopes of improving our average.

30 January 1927

Laura Eleanor Marks

Kathleen McCallum Morley of Houston has been visiting in Austin. Lucy Rountree and A. C. Kuykendall were married Dec. 24.

Dr and Mrs C. D. Strother (Virginia Hanna) announce the birth of a daughter, Virgina Anne.

Mr and Mrs J. A. McCelvey (Opal Marshall) announce the birth of a daughter.

The engagement of Ada Terrell to J. Ream was announced in Dec.

Mary Smith is dietician of the Baptist hospital in Houston.

Mr and Mrs Paul Stroker (Marie McCallis) announce the birth of a daughter.

Rosamond Blackmon has been visiting at the Theta house.

The engagement of Crystal Ross to Lewis Dabney jr. has been announced.

May Belle Taylor Bartlett (Mrs Donald) is living at 1332 Birchwood av. Chicago, Ill.

Alpha Iota-Washington University

The time of year has come when every telephone ring may mean a tearful pledge with news of a flunk, or a joyful one safely through, and when actives meet the mail-man with fear and trembling, hoping against hope that, hidden among the bills and stocking advertisements, they will not find the fatal yellow slip. It is a period only one degree better than exam week itself.

January is, of course, a time of meditation and study and we will have to go back to December for chapter news. Our stunt, A young man's fancy, was judged one of the two best. It was a cynical skit, showing the down-fall and humiliation of four men who pooh-poohed Mencken's theory that women choose their own husbands. In the stunt the women, of course, came out triumphant. The night before the Christmas holidays we gave a dinner dance at the Algonquin country club which was, of course, much better than any before.

Frances Blackburn, pledge, has had several poems accepted for a new volume, *The American anthology of verse*, to be published by the Unicorn company, this spring.

Elizabeth Wright was elected to Peppers in December. 30 January 1927 Virginia Becker

A son, Thomas Mansur, was born to Mr and Mrs Mansur Tebbits. (Mary Lewis). This is their second child.

Beatrice Turner has gone to Honolulu for the spring.

Alpha Kappa—Adelphi College

Alpha Kappa is buried beneath a maze of weary tests, as finals demand most earnest attention. It will be a relaxation as well as a joy on Saturday, January 29, to be part of Founders'-day luncheon at the Pennsylvania hotel.

Social activities being hushed for these few days do not prevent recalling the gay Faculty party before Christmas, of which Hildegarde Schlobohm was chairman and Helen Droge a member of the committee; nor the other delightful event—the pledge party given to the chapter at Ruth Rabbi's home December 20. A little later—January 15—Y.W.C.A. was hostess at a bridge for which Victorine Hall was an enthusiastic worker. She is also on the Junior Prom committee and a member of the Advertising board of *Oracle*.

We initiated Victorine and Marguerite Bisbee December 13. That evening we were presented with four dozen gold encrusted glasses by our alumnæ, whom we want to again thank heartily

for their splendid gift.

Looking a little into the future—February 11, we see *The gondoliers*, presentation of Adelphi's Glee club, which includes in its cast Ruth Murphy and Mildred Patterson. Senior week activities will find Hildegarde Schlobohn chairman of the luncheon, Janet Bacon Cox and Helen Livingston on the dance committee and Rosemary Harding on class day committee. And here we will leave you until May—when golashes and examentranced Adelphians will be but a recollection.

29 January 1927

Rosemary Harding

Born to Mr and Mrs Harold Wait (Marian Stringham) a son, Harold Van Allen.

Born to Mr and Mrs Paul Searing Distelhurst (Helen Lay) a son, Paul Searing, jr. Nov. 22.

The engagement of Edna Blumenthal to Wilbur Lowell, has been announced: also, the engagement of Elsie Giesler to Rudolph Steinbruehler.

Alpha Lambda—University of Washington

Before Thetas scattered in all directions for the Christmas holidays there was a grand get-to-gether December 10, at the annual Christmas party. It was at the chapter house and well attended by alumnæ who laughed as heartily as did the undergraduates at the stunts presented in turn by each class. One delightful surprise was the gift from the alumnæ, of jam enough to last us for many weeks.

Eight of our freshmen made the required average for initiation. They are Jean Smith, Ruth Osterman, Ellen Gandy, De Lora Lee Laube, Jessie London, Betty Robb, Helen Mae Dilling, and Hannah Lewis. Hannah, a Portland girl, was pledged just

before Christmas vacation.

Helen Eagelson, Alpha Theta, and Zoe Steele, Alpha Nu, were affiliated November 15. We are proud to have them members of Alpha Lambda.

Dorothy Baker ran unopposed and was elected secretary of A.S.U.W. This office is the highest to which any girl may be elected. January 19 Alpha Lambda held open house in her honor. Helen Williams was invited to join the dramatic society, Mu Phi Gamma. Jane Lasater and Ruth Abel were initiated by Spurs. Patsy Knox and De Lora Lee Laube were successful in tryouts for junior girls' Vaudeville, in which they will be members of the chorus. Virginia Bloxom is on Junior Prom committee.

Alpha Lambda slumped slightly in scholarship this quarter. As a result, the average for those exempt from attending study hall was raised.

25 January 1927

Kelso Barnett

Married: Jane Manning to Dr T. Young, Dec. 29; and Adele Reeves to Kent Ratcliffe, Dec. 24.

Molly Gunnell, Constance Orton and Esculine Anderson have returned to college.

Marian Kellogg did not return to college this quarter because of illness.

Anne York is attending Ellensburg normal.

Mrs Theo. Wood (Dorothy Conger) is living at 1657 E. 31st. st. N. Portland, Ore.

Born to Mr and Mrs Donald Cornu (Elizabeth Weikel) a daughter, Mary Elizabeth.

Born to Mr and Mrs F. Dickson Nott (Anna Cate Adams) a daughter, Gretchen, Dec. 27, in Honolulu.

Born to Mr and Mrs Jesse C. Johnson (Alice Frein) a daughter, Mary Virginia, Aug. 13. Address: 5032 20th av. N. E. Seattle, Wash.

Married: Dorothy McWatters and Kendall Dodge Stuart, Φ K Ψ , Jan. 15. Address: Vance hotel, Seattle, Wash.

Married: Beatrice Mercer and Stuart Guenther, Ψ Υ, Dec. 23. Address: 1904 Miller st. Seattle, Wash.

Born to Lieut Charles Stuart Ward and Mrs Ward (Helen Schwager)

a daughter, Pamela. Address: Fort Humphreys, Va.

Born to Mr and Mrs Merville McInnis (Lorraine Allen) a daughter, Janet Lorraine.

Helen Graham and Margaret Latimer sailed, Jan. 26, on the S.S. Rochambeau for 15 months of art study and travel in France and Italy.

They are with a group from the Parsons school.

Lieut Com Charles F. Greene and Mrs Greene (Dorothy Watson) have been sent from the Navy yard, Washington, D.C. to San Diego, Cal. Dorothy and her daughter will visit in Honolulu during the cruise of the Pacific fleet in Atlantic waters this spring.

Born to Mr and Mrs Frank Day (Margery Whitelaw) a daughter,

in Dec.

Married: Joan Sprague and Elon Gilbert, Δ Y, in Nov. They will

make their home in Yakima, Wash.

Margery Lindsay Charnley (Mrs Mitchell V.) and her husband are spending 15 months writing and traveling in Europe and northern Africa.

Marguerite Mann Perkins (Mrs Lloyd) and her husband have moved

from Tacoma, Wash. to Seattle, Wash.

Margaret Gilbert has been given entire charge of the Los Angeles chapter of the American Red Cross. Address: 10521/2 Browning blvd. Los Angeles, Cal.

Betty Warner is class organizer in San Diego, Cal. for the University

of California extension division.

Dorothy Willard is private secretary for the manager of Brewer and co. Hilo, Hawaii.

Marian Dix is working in the scenario dept. of the Famous Players-

Lasky studio. Address: 1826 N. Normandie av. Hollywood, Cal.

Married: Adelaide Fairbanks and Paul Ellsworth, Δ K E. Mr Ellsworth is a member of the faculty at Reed college. Address: 1278 E. 30th st. Portland, Ore.

Louise MacDonald and Mary Newton Upton (Mrs Virgil) are teaching in the English dept. of the Sargent school, Cambridge, Mass. They have

made their reservations for a trip to England this summer.

Engaged: Helen Pitcher and Lawrence DeCan, A T Ω . Betty Lou Ritchie has returned from 8 months of study and travel

in Europe and is teaching in Boston.

Born to Mr and Mrs Nelson Anderson (Lois Gilbert) a daughter, in Sept.

Born to Mr and Mrs Burns Lindsey (Peggy London) a son, in Sept.

Alpha Mu-University of Missouri

Mid-semester rush has started. Alpha Mu plans a rush party January 29. The new semester begins January 31.

Alpha Mu pledges entertained the chapter at the annual freshman party January 15. A "Prisoner's party" was cleverly carried out in costumes, songs, decorations, etc. The pledges then presented three lovely gifts to the chapter house—a fireside bench, a foot stool, and a Chinese Mandarin skirt for the piano.

Norma Purvis, Alpha Mu's president, recently was initiated into Pi Lambda Theta, national educational organization. Helen Baird has been appointed chairman of Women's athletic association Vaudeville. W.A.A. vaudeville is one of the largest student activities of the college year.

Our chaperon, Mrs F. W. Dortch, entertained 150 guests at

a bridge tea December 5. The chapter assisted her.

Mary Bruce, pledge, has had to leave college because of illness. We hope she will be able to return next fall. Laura Ballard, transfer from Alpha Delta, did not return after the Christmas holidays. Alpha Mu is happy to know Beth Griffin, Alpha Delta, who has entered the University of Missouri.

1 February 1927

Miriam Willets

Born to Mr and Mrs Warren Coglizer (Frances Dunwoody) a son, Warren ir. Oct. 16.

Married: Aline Smith and Purd B. Wright of Kansas city.

Married: Beulah Elizabeth Lang and Merrill King Dubach of Kansas

Mr and Mrs I. D. Borders of Kansas city announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary, to Walter Martin Cross jr. The wedding will be

Married: Betty Johnson and F. P. Douglas, Dec. 27.

Helen H. Greene is secretary of the neurology section at Mayo clinic, Rochester, Minn.

Alpha Nu-University of Montana

Theta is well-represented on the scholarship honor roll for autumn quarter by Catherine White, Gladys Wilson, Margery Breitenstein, and Ruth Nickey.

Nan Walsh has been bid to Penetralia, senior women's society. Elizabeth Veach has been pledged to Delta Psi Kappa, women's national physical education society. Alice Lease was elected chairman of the Co-ed formal, one of the biggest dances of winter quarter.

Members of the chapter have been prominent in recent campus dramatic productions. Nan Walsh made a decided success of the rôle of Little Buttercup in H.M.S. Pinafore January 20-22. Alice Lease and Louise Lubrecht were in the chorus. Maureen Desmond will play the feminine lead in El Gran Galeoto. and she and Alice Lease will take part in the dance-drama to be given by the women's dancing club.

Practice has been started for Varsity Vodvil, the show put on annually by the fraternities. Alpha Nu hopes her act will be as successful as the one she gave last year which won one

of the cups given for the two best performances.

Evelyn Liggett, Spokane, was pledged January 12.

Mrs Keene, District president, is expected to visit the chapter in February.

Two local fraternities, Alpha Delta Alpha and Sigma Alpha, have been granted charters by Kappa Sigma and Sigma Alpha

Epsilon, respectively.

The pledges gave a fireside for the chapter last month and will entertain at a formal dance February 26. A buffet supper was given Founders'-day. Quadrons, senior women's club, of which Annabelle Desmond is president, met at the house, January 25.

27 January 1927

Gertrude White

Ruth Mondale is staying at her home in Lewistown this quarter.

Helen Streit is teaching at the University of Texas.

Evelyn Collins is working in Anaconda and Lois Wheat in Bozeman. Julia, Margery, and Charlotte Woolfolk, and Lillian Mains are attending business college in Billings.

Miriam Woodward is attending the Prince school of store service and

education in Boston. Address: 29 Linden st. Salem, Mass.

Mary Newman is working in Boston, Mass. Address: 230 Boyles-

Stella D. Maloy has started her own business of selling silk underwear. Address: 108 Mt Vernon st. Boston, Mass.

Alpha Xi-University of Oregon

There is, on the Oregon campus, a change of spirit which one might call Renaissance. This spirit has to do not only with scholasticism, which has received impetus and encouragement from the new administration, but is concerned with a more tangible manifestation in the form of basketball. McArthur Court, the new basketball pavillion, already has been the scene of several thrilling varsity triumphs.

On the scholastic side we have the definite and broad policy of our new President, Dr Arnold Bennett Hall, clearly defined. Alpha Xi intends to take a real and spirited part in all the worthy efforts toward the building of a better university.

In regard to Theta scholarship Alpha Xi cannot as yet make any prideful boasts as the fall term grade list is not out. But the chapter has taken measures to raise standards. Initiation average is 3.3, and a 4 average is required to enjoy the privilege of active membership.

January 29 we held initiation for Lolits Jaeger, Martha Ann Prothero, Genevieve Hale, Helen Peters, Elizabeth Martin, Phyllis Jane Metchan, Margaret Muncy, Margaret Stauff and Eleanor Flannigan. The banquet in honor of the initiates was at the Osborne hotel, and was a lovely and impressive affair. Following the custom demonstrated at convention, there was a candle

service for the Founders of Kappa Alpha Theta.

January 30 we celebrated Founders'-day by playing hostess to Beta Epsilon chapter. The girls drove over from Corvallis, arriving at four o'clock in the afternoon. Clever stunts by their freshmen and ours provided the entertainment. It was a most satisfying gathering, the alumnæ and college girls of both chapters meeting to enjoy the fellowship of Theta.

Our newest pledge, Anna Katherine Barrett of Albany, is an

Alpha Xi daughter, daughter of Ruth Flynn.

Margaret Spencer and Janet Chalmers have been elected to Mu Phi Epsilon, as has Melba Williams, talented alumna. Eleanor Flannigan is vice-president of freshman class. Esther Hardy is assistant chairman of the junior week-end committee. Myrabelle Palmer and Esther Hardy are both members of the junior swimming team, Myrabelle having been chosen as an all star performer.

Our social calendar has been interesting. January 21 the upperclassmen entertained at a colorful and gay pirate dance. February 12, Alpha Xi is to have a wonderful formal, a fitting preface for mid-term exams.

1 February 1927

Margaret Clarke

Esme Freeman was married to David Anderson of San Diego in the early fall. They reside in San Diego.

Elizabeth Latham and Foster Cone, B O II, were married late in Dec.

in Salem where they live.

Marcella Berry and James King, Φ Γ Δ , were married in Eugene where Jimmy is practicing law.

Jane Campbell Krohn and her husband are in Cambridge, Mass.

Lyle Bryson is managing editor of *The new Eve* a fashion magazine published in New York.

Born in Dec. to Mr and Mrs Jack Rivenburgh (Mary Harris) a

daughter.

Alpha Omicron—University of Oklahoma

We are enjoying the visit of our new District president, Mrs W. C. Weaver. February 2 we are entertaining at tea for her, when all fraternity hostesses and representatives of each house will have the opportunity of meeting our charming officer.

Founders'-day banquet at the Oklahoma city club on January 29 was a huge success. As usual, a large number of alumnæ from various parts of the state gathered again with the college members and pledges of Beta Zeta and Alpha Omicron.

Plans are under way for a District VIII convention next summer in conjunction with some other district in close proximity.

Margaret Bostic, pledge, has been elected R.O.T.C. queen. Ethel James Byrd did an attractive dance in the college stunt nite program in Oklahoma city, January 28. Jane Hardin has sailed for Paris to spend the spring and summer months. Thetas selected for the chorus of the Soonerland follies, to be presented in the near future, are Jo Mattison, Llewellyn Trapp, Ethel James Byrd, Blanche Cordell, Virginia Piersol, Audine Drew.

Alpha Omicron is indeed sorry to have her president, Helen Guthrey, graduate at mid-year, as did Natalie Broach, who is spending several months in California. Gladys Dannenburg, Adelaide Carder and Esther Phillips are not in college this semester but are planning to return next fall.

Delta Upsilon was installed on our campus January 15. The local chapter, Delta Pi, is one of the best on the campus and every one rejoiced with it when the national charter was granted.

1 February 1927

Louise Sullivan

Married: Roselle Burnett to Reese Cleveland, Φ Γ Δ, Norman, Okla. Dorothy Prouty and Clyde Ostin Burnside were married Oct. 9. Address: 200 W. 22d St. Oklahoma City.

Wilma La Marr and John Maine Shelton, Φ K Ψ, were married Oct. 11. Address: 538 N. Alexandria, Los Angeles, Calif.

Janet Stuart married William Montford Johnson, E A E, Oct. 27.

Dorothy Thompson married Ernest Lippert, Δ Y, Dec. 26. Address: Panhandle, Tex.

Mary Lee Johnson and Sam Griebe, Σ A E, were married Nov. 20. Address: Chickasha, Okla.

Mr and Mrs Raymond L. Dawson (Freda Reid) announce the birth of twin daughters, Mary Lou and Patricia Reid, Dec. 6.

Born to Dr and Mrs Allen C. Kramer (Katherine Frye) a son, John

Charles, Oct. 28. Address: 505 S. 4th St. Ponca City, Okla.

Alumnæ with new addresses are: Mrs Earl Hendricks (Elizabeth Trent) Box 87, Seminole, Okla. Mrs Le Roy Miller (Bernice Shafer) c/o Henry Shafer Ranch, White Deer, Tex. Mrs Dwight M. Smith (Leta Major) 405 E 3d St. Apt. 1, Wichita, Kans. Mrs Rufus Sadler Hill (Lois Pressley) 603 N. McDuffie, Anderson, S.C. Mary Honore Mee, 426 E. 13th, Oklahoma City. Mrs Ben K. Parks (Annabel Smith) 1235 Cedar St. Apt. B, Long Beach, Calif. Mrs Don Rodky (Clara Carmichael) Edmond, Okla. Maxine Cutlip, 807 E 4th St. Tucson, Ariz.

Helen Carr is teaching in Wichita, Kans.

Alpha Pi-University of North Dakota

Greetings from frozen Northland! Though our supply of snow and thirty-below-zero temperature may have been in excess of the demand, it has nevertheless been wonderful weather for sleigh-ride parties. On the evening of December 11, we set out from the chapter house in large bobsleds, and returned two hours and eleven frozen fingers later to spend the remainder of the time dancing. The refreshments of oyster stew, sandwiches, cake, and coffee were welcome indeed when we trooped in cold and hungry.

December 20 was the night of our annual Theta Christmas party for members, pledges, and alumnæ. Each placed a dollar on the Christmas tree, and with the total we bought a beautiful set of chased silver consisting of candlesticks and bowl, with tea service to match.

Bertha Beisigl has been pledged to Kappa Psi Omicron. A number of Thetas were chosen to serve on annual Carney Song contest committees: Ruth Hancock, Beth Countryman, and Ruth Sulerud on the senior committee; Mary Thexton and Helen McGurk on the junior committee; Margery Stubbins and Helen Wittensten on the freshman committee.

Since Founders'-day came during the week of final examinations, we have postponed our celebration and banquet until February 7.

We are happy to have Caryl Gidley, who completed her sophomore year last June, return to the chapter at the beginning of second semester.

January 15, Alpha Pi was hostess to fraternity women and their guests at the annual Kappa Alpha Theta interfraternity party. The armory was decorated with the badges and colors of the women's fraternities on the campus, with our own illuminated Theta kite furnishing the light for moonlight numbers. We have received many compliments on the party.

1 February 1927

Helen McGurk

Alpha Pi sympathizes with Florence Foskett in the death of her father, Mr L. D. Foskett; and with Pearl, Rhoda, and Sophronia Burtness in the death of their brother, Peter Burtness.

Margaret Gillette is ill at St. Luke's hospital in St. Paul, Minn.

Alpha Rho-University of South Dakota

Alpha Rho's annual Christmas party was December 19. The town alumnæ were guests. After a buffet supper, the gifts which were under the Christmas tree were opened. We were pleased to receive two dozen frostoria tumblers from the town alumnæ. Marian Damuth sent a lovely ivory plaque of Shakespeare's birthplace. Mary Huntley and Dorothy Sweeney sent a pair of hammered silver salt and pepper shakers. Dr Kellog presented the chapter with a wax buffet set. The chapter gave the house a silver bread tray, a silver creamer and sugar, two

silver gravy boats, two sets of taper holders and tapers, and had the charter framed.

January 15, we had our winter formal at Michels. Music was furnished by Cato's Vagabonds. The programs were black leather cigarette cases. Black and gold Churchill Downs were given for the favor dance. The alumnæ back for formal were: Vera Banks, Helen Barker, Winifred Reynolds, Mary Huntley, Dorothy Sweeney, and Gertrude Reynolds. Several rushees at-

tended the party.

Elizabeth Frary gave her sophomore recital January 16. Maxine Henry has the part of Mrs Anderson, and Agusta Thede the part of Essie, in the Mask and wig play The devil's disciple. Helen Whittemore was elected to Volante board of control. Theta is chairman of decoration committee for Panhellenic formal. Lowena Lancelot, Norma Damuth, and Dorothy Thompson are on committees for Junior Carnival. Elinor Payne, Lyla Rogers, Elizabeth Frary, and Agusta Thede took part in the student recital January 19. Jane Mather was elected secretary of Mask and wig. Dorothy Thompson is spending the month in Florida with her grandparents.

20 January 1927

Beatrice Bogue

Born Dec. 6 to Mr and Mrs Keith Wilkes (Charlotte Davis) a daughter, Winifred Jane.

Born January 8 to Mr and Mrs Emett Meade (Gwen Thomas) a son, Thomas E.

Married: Florence Collins and Odmund Jostad, B Θ II, Nov. 17. Lila Gilbertson is teaching at Huntley, Ill.

Alpha Sigma-State College of Washington

The nicest things that Santa Claus brought us this year were two pledges, Eleanor Conner of Wenatchee and Martha Rasmussen of Tacoma, who wore their ribbons during Christmas vacation. The spirit of the season was also evidenced in a Christmas dance, a Christmas party just for Thetas.

We have just been sitting back on our new furniture wishing the weather would improve. Yes, we have recently completely furnished our drawing-room and conservatory, and are fully en-

joying them and the new rug bought at the same time.

Eleanor Conner was initiated into Quill club January 23. Dorothy MacLeod and Gertrude Bryan Hill were initiated into Phi Kappa Phi. Marion Guilbert made Glee club, and Dorothy Robinson, Glee club string quartet. Marjorie Kemp was elected vice-president of Freshman commission of Y.W.C.A. and Frances Evans secretary of Junior commission. Hermine Duthie was given a part in the college play *The fool*. Girls

making class and section basketball teams are Violet Bixler, Aileen Maguire, Willene West, Coral Moran, Helen Swartz and Faye Norris.

We are looking forward with pleasure to having Beta Theta celebrate Founders'-day with us. We will have a fireside for the two chapters and town alumnæ, and hope that Mrs Bemis, Grand vice president, may be able to be with us.

The new post office and the Y.M.C.A. building are completed and in use. The library has been enlarged, by the addition of a new reading room.

23 January 1927

June Tiffany

Anita Greenlaw and Robert Miles Parrot, both of Tocamo, were married Dec. 26.

Eva LaFollette, who was taking post graduate work here, has gone to California with her family.

Inez Williams is teaching in Seattle.

Lila Bryan Kulzer and her young daughter, Janet Patricia, are visiting Mrs Kulzer's parents, Dr and Mrs E. A. Bryan of Pullman.

Alpha Tau-University of Cincinnati

Founders'-day was commemorated by a banquet at the Cincinnati club, January 22. The freshmen provided entertainment by original contributions in the form of Theta songs. Mrs Gilbert Bettman adequately filled the rôle of toastmistress, while Dorothy Beck and Dorothy Carothers enlightened the freshmen as to the Founding of Theta and Theta achievement.

Marcella Theiss brought the chapter and several alumnæ together the afternoon of January 23, at an informal tea at her home, at which Lucille Bardes and Mary Dom poured.

Rehearsals for the fifth annual musical comedy, *The silver sabre*, have started. It is to be produced by Fresh Painters, in which organization several Thetas hold office: Dorothy Carothers, vice chairman; Erma Pfleger, secretary; Jane De Serisy, wardrobe mistress. Lucille Bardes and Mary Dom are in the Pony chorus, while Naomi Hoffman, and Helen Jane Beck are in the main chorus.

In order to promote more friendly feeling among fraternity girls fraternity basketball teams have been abolished. In their places are various teams made up of girls in different fraternities. These teams are to be maintained throughout the year, participating in all athletic events.

As a result of a case of small-pox, which developed in the men's dormitory, all students in the university have been vaccinated.

The date for the Theta formal is February 14, and in keeping with the day, the party will be in true St. Valentine style.

31 January 1927

Mary Dom

Mr and Mrs Ralph Kreimer (Florence Stuart) are being congratulated on the birth of a daughter, Mary Stuart Kreimer.

Virginia Bowdle has returned from six months abroad.

Mary Moore's engagement to Edward Stubbs, Σ X, is announced. The wedding will be next fall.

Helen Duckworth is spending the winter with her aunt in England. The engagement of Helen Lapham to William Schmid, B Θ II, has been announced. They will be married in the fall.

Catherine Marsh's engagement to Edward Nippert, Σ A E, is an-

nounced.

Willie May Willis recently started on a cruise around the world.

Mr and Mrs Morton Shepard (Mary Cellarius) have moved to Dayton, Ohio.

Mary Vollrath, with her mother and brother, is spending the winter in Miami, Fla.

Alpha Upsilon-Washburn College

December 16, Alpha Upsilon was honored by a visit from Mrs Lebrecht. A tea was given in her honor the afternoon of December 10, to which the alumnæ were especially invited. A luncheon was given in her honor by Topeka alumnæ December 11. We regret that Mrs Lebrecht was unable to attend our annual Christmas dance at the Country club that evening.

Our house-mother was also unable to attend the party because she fell and broke her hip the night before the party. The chapter was grieved for her and have been doing all possible to lighten the monotony of the eight weeks she must spend in the hospital. Thelma Hobson, alumna, stayed with us the week before vacation, and now Mrs Shinn, daughter of Mrs Cozad, is with us until Mrs Cozad recovers.

Our Christmas party was a decided success, many out-oftown guests saying it was the best they had ever attended. The Country club was artistically decorated and a delicious supper was served at 11 o'clock.

The pledges gave us a beautiful Seth-Thomas mantel clock for a Christmas present. The dinner they were to give for the chapter the Thursday before Christmas vacation was postponed because of the Washburn Football banquet which was held that night. Alpha Upsilon had a Christmas tree at the last meeting, at which only toys were exchanged, which later were turned over to charity workers for distribution.

There was quite a lot of excitement on the return of the girls after Christmas vacation. Thieves had inhabited the chap-

ter house for a few nights, had slept in the beds, and taken away articles of clothing and pieces of jewelry. The investiga-

tion made by the police was without results.

Frances Montgomery is president and Virginia Welty, chairman of program committee, of Le Cercle français. Helen Hobbs, Ruth Early, and Jeanne Knowles are in the string quartette. Edna Bren, Muriel Hobson, and Esther Mullin are on freshman commission. Jean St John, Harriet Kercher, Alice Volland, Doris Gilmore, and Esther May Snyder are interested in Girl Reserve work. Mary Elizabeth Kennedy and Caroline Smith were initiated into Quill club. Grace Hetler had the lead in a dramatic club play.

12 January 1927

Elizabeth Cofer

Betty Frost was married to Warren Crosby, Ψ 7, Dec. 4. They left immediately for a six months' world tour.

Vivian Ware was married to Don Price, Dec. 27, in Chicago, Ill. Lillian Hughes Neiswanger (Mrs W. A.) was in Topeka during the

holidays.

Mirian Wood Herrick, husband and son (Myron Wood, born in Paris) have returned home after living abroad the past year.

Lily Hughes is teaching kindergarten in Miami, Fla.

A son, Charles Kent, was born to Mr and Mrs Charles Wilbur Rossier (Margaret McLane).

Virginia Alspach was married to De Mont Grover, II K A in Jan.

They will live in Wamego, Kan.

Married: Ruth Downey and James Noble on Christmas day. They are living in Wichita, Kan.

Born to Mr and Mrs Theodore Blevins (Margaret Seaton) a daughter.

Alpha Pi-Newcomb College

January 29 we will have our annual Founders'-day banquet, which will serve the double purpose of celebrating the founding of Kappa Alpha Theta and the completion of mid-term exams. The banquet is to be at Antoine's, New Orleans' most famous French restaurant, with stunts by all the classes and alumnæ. Many out-of-town Thetas are coming for the big event of the New Orleans Theta year.

Our rooms have just been repainted, and with the addition of new draperies, cushions, and rugs, we have attractive and comfortable rooms in which to entertain. We are planning a series of interfraternity suppers, entertaining every two or three weeks. Pi Beta Phi will be our first guest, then Chi Omega, and the remaining seven, in order of their installation at Newcomb.

Just before the Christmas holidays, New Orleans alumnæ entertained Alphi Phi at a lovely Christmas radio party, with announcers, performers, and all things which go to make up a successful broadcasting station. Queen Marie gave an interesting account of her voyage, and told why "queens leave home." The *Black Bottom* was also successfully rendered. Of course, there was a Christmas tree, and Santa Claus gave presents to all good little Thetas.

Frances Shaw played the part of Lucy in *The rivals*, presented by the Newcomb dramatic club. She also had the lead in a skit presented at the Y hut by the Tulane dramatic club. Attica Aitkens was appointed chairman of the ticket committee for the concert, proceeds of which will be used for building a new music school, Dixon hall.

27 January 1927

Angela Deulin

Bertha Schuerman and Lydia Schuyler played on the Newcomb alumnæ basketball team.

Helen Powe Godat is spending the winter in New Orleans.

Alpha Chi-Purdue University

Santa Claus was good to Kappa Alpha Theta besides awarding us a two weeks' vacation. All the classes at the house, as well as many alumnæ and friends, presented gifts, which included a console table, new draperies, a dinner gong, a floor lamp, a great deal of sterling silver, and pillows. Prof and Mrs T. F. Moran, parents of a pledge, gave a check for one hundred dollars, for which the chapter is most grateful.

Just before college closed for the holidays, the pledges entertained the chapter and alumnæ with a clever stunt and Christmas party, at which time they read their letters to Santa Claus.

Mrs Lebrecht, Grand president, and Mrs Hughes, District president, were the guests of District I at the annual Founders'-day luncheon and dance at the Claypool hotel, Indianapolis, January 15. Alpha Chi was glad to meet the Grand president, and all regretted that, because of adverse weather conditions and uncertain traction service, almost the entire chapter arrived at the luncheon when the program was practically over. Alpha Chi hopes for better luck next year.

The cast of *The poor nut*, a Little theater production, has just been announced and Madeline Gude and Carol Hackman, both freshmen, have parts. Martha Catherine Severin, Rema Mae Norris, Mary Keiser and Ada Hermine Beckman are mem-

bers of their class basketball teams.

Alpha Chi is sorry that Lucille Eastin, pledge, was unable to return to college after Christmas, and that Ruth Cripe will not be back for the second semester.

25 January 1927

Mary Margaret Kern

Sigma Nu was our guest at tea Dec. 5.

Born to Mr and Mrs J. E. Dewenter (Bernice Beemer) twin boys, John Edwin, jr. and Donald Richard, Dec. 6.

Born to Mr and Mrs Paul Beattie (Katherine Ferguson) a daughter,

Mary Frances, Jan. 19.

Elizabeth Kirkpatrick of New Richmond, Ind. has a position in Lafayette.

Harriet Findley is substituting on the teaching staff of the Logansport high school.

Mr and Mrs Robert Conner (Carolyn Grant) are living at 809 Cathe-

dral St. Baltimore, Md.

Rebecca Taylor is attending a secretarial school at Poughkeepsie, N.Y.

Helen Gould is working in a library at Elkhart, Ind.

The permanent address of Mrs H. C. Floyd (Edith Henninger) is c/o Clifford Waterhouse, Box 337, West Jackson, Miss.

Alpha Psi-Lawrence College

Founders'-day was observed with an informal dinner at the Candle Glow tea room. Several alumnæ were present and all

of the chapter and pledges.

The goose hangs high was presented by Sunset players, dramatic organization to which four of our girls belong. Two of the four took part. Helen Chegwin as "Granny" deserves mention for her excellent work.

Anita Koehler and Madge Helmer have been chosen charter members of Tourmaline club. This club was organized under the auspices of the Geological engineering club, and the girls

feel quite like regular geologists.

It is expected that Beatrice Merton will be back next semester. She is a Mu Phi Epsilon pledge, and will be an active Theta. For the past two years she has been unable to attend college due to ill health. Alpha Psi will be happy to have her back.

1 February 1927

Madge K. Helmer

Mrs D. W. Bergstrom, jr. (Agnes Forsyth) spent two weeks in New York and one week in Kalamazoo, Mich. in Jan.

Mr and Mrs Geo. Banta, jr. (Margaret Killen) spent the first week in Feb. with Mr and Mrs Geo. Banta, sr. in Phoenix, Ariz. then went to San Diego, Calif, before returning home.

Naomi Roy graduated from the National kindergarten college in Feb.

and is teaching in Knoxville, Tenn.

Born to Mr and Mrs Wilbur Freeman (Catherine Cheverton) a daughter.

Mr and Mrs Harold Tunison (Ruth Schumaker) are living in Holly-

wood, Calif. Address: 1910 N. Van Ness av.

Appleton alumnæ entertained Alpha Psi and pledges at a Christmas party at the home of Mrs Charles Boyd. After dinner "White elephant" gifts were opened and the accompanying verses read aloud. The pledges

sang a lovely song written and composed by one of them, Eleanor Lee. The alumnæ held a short business meeting after the party.

Married: Caryl Bro and Bernard Brand. Address: 207 S. Meade

st. Appleton, Wis.

Alpha Omega-University of Pittsburgh

After seven year's absence Mrs J. M. Mecklin, Alumnæ secretary, returned to pay Alpha Omega a much anticipated visit. The college chapter was especially glad to meet and know her personally because of her intimate and close connection with the alumnæ chapter, who have regarded her always as the "heart of our fraternity." In 1914 Mrs Mecklin, then Hope Davis, came to Pittsburgh as vice-president to inspect our chapter. While here she met her husband, at the time a professor at the University of Pittsburgh. She resided here until 1920 when she went to Dartmouth with her husband who is professor of philosophy there. We hope she may visit us often, so that we may know Theta better through having known her.

January 25 Mrs Mecklin was guest of honor at a tea given by Mrs Dale Finley Dunham. Both college girls and alumnæ

attended.

Our Founders'-day luncheon was January 29 at Webster hall. One-hundred-and-twenty were present to enjoy an interesting program. Mrs Mecklin was the principal speaker. Mrs Greene, director of the Girls' glee club, gave several piano selections.

January 8 Mary McElhaney entertained the chapter and the 1926 graduates with a bridge luncheon at her home. It was highly successful and served to bring the chapter and the recent graduates much closer together.

Alpha Omega is sorry to lose Jean McKenna, who graduated and moved to Miami, Florida. Active on campus as member of *Pitt weekly* staff and of Pitkin club, Jean has been even more active in fraternity work. In losing her we are losing one who has been ever generous in sacrificing time and interest in pro-

moting the chapter interests.

Besides being editor of the 1928 Owl, K. C. Rowell is vice-president of Pitt players. Helen Carson is treasurer of Quill club and on the Panhellenic ball committee. Katherine Reineman is active in Glee club and Panhellenic. Dorothy Russel, president, has been chosen a member of Senior ball committee, a much coveted honor. Jane Smith is chairman of the W.S.G.A. handbook, the vade mecum, committee. Also active in W.S.G.A. are Helen E. Miller on social committee and Jean Hay as scholarship chairman. In Y.W.C.A. Margaret Sloan is chair-

man of freshman commission and Duella Stranahan is president of sophomore commission. Duella is also fraternity editor of the 1928 Owl. Katherine Fleming is secretary of the College association and also a member of the Junior Prom committee. Mary McElhaney, president of Mortar board, is manager of girls' varsity basketball team and goes with the team to Philadelphia February 9. The varsity squad, including Dorothy Russell and Dorothy Koch, will meet Drexel and Temple universities while there.

At present we are working out the details of a rushing program to be launched February 18. There will be a treasure hunt, cabaret, oriental bridge, progressive dinner, and the tea to which all fraternity women and faculty members as well as rushees are invited.

30 January 1927

Dorothy Koch

Eliza Jane Reynolds married Frederick Mayer, Pitt instructor in English, Jan. 29.

Marion Wolcott's engagement to Kier Boyd, Dartmouth, E A E, has

been announced.

Hazel Hipple married Cecil Denny of Penn State on Thanksgiving day.

Mrs Harry Bailey (Beatrice Koenig) is on a world tour.

Jeanne Muter is physical education director at Trafford City high school.

Helen Lloyd is teaching physical education at the Esplen school.

Beta Beta-Randolph-Macon Woman's College

It is unfortunate for Beta Beta that Founders'-day always comes in the midst of first semester examinations. Nevertheless we all managed to assemble at the house at six o'clock on January 27, and pay tribute to our four beloved Founders. Afterwards the majority of the chapter ate very informally at the college tea room.

We entertained our promising young promisees with a Christmas party just before the holidays. Eleanor Dunson and Jeannette Farmer were with us, and presented the chapter with a lovely Madeira luncheon cloth. The freshmen gave us a monogramed table cloth and napkins. We can scarcely wait for exams to end, for then comes pledge day. We have tried a system of special advisers for every freshman and expect every promisee to pass the minimum twelve hours.

We have purchased a new gas range which is the pride and joy of all the cooks in the chapter. We initiated it by having a delicious supper after the last meeting. We are also beginning to dream of a chapter room in the future.

28 January 1927

Nancy Oldham

The marriage of Virginia Harris to Mark O'Quin of Lakeland, Fla. took place, Dec. 20. They are at home in Oklahoma City.

Kathleen Butt and Farnsworth Black were married early in Jan. and

are living in Oklahoma City.

Mr and Mrs Surrey Gilliam (Marie La Grone) announce the birth of a son.

Rachel Williams is at Duke university.

Mrs Burton Shibley (Christine Redman) is living at Newbern, Tenn. Virginia Sevier is spending the winter at home, Fort Collins, Colo.

Beta Gamma-Colorado State College

The semester began auspiciously with the election of Fern Newsom as sophomore class treasurer and Alice Robinson as sophomore secretary. Hazel Clark was elected treasurer of the closed freshman commission. Evelyn Evans is the new freshman representative on Student council and is also on A.W.S. council. Several Thetas have been trying out for the next Dramatic club play. Alice Robinson took part in a program given by the Dramatic club in chapel.

In the interclass volleyball tournament just finished three Thetas played on the championship sophomore team. Theta won third in the interfraternity tournament. Baskebtall is starting with Beta Gamma having bright prospects. This is the first year we have had competitive sports for women.

The chapter gave an informal party for Mrs Bruen, chaperon, January 18, the anniversary of her coming to us four years ago. Theta's annual Valentine dance will be at the chapter house February 12. The Katsup just before Christmas was in the form of a Tunerville frolic. The invitation requested that the chapter come as one big family dressed in appropriate costumes. The frolic started with a lovely dinner at the home of Ruth Johnston during which stunts were presented by the pledges. After this every one went to the home of Evelyn Evans where a country fair was arranged. There were regular fair attractions, including a fortune teller and the "Limehouse Kid" who challenged all comers. Pink lemonade and popcorn balls were served by a fat old colored mammy. At the Christmas party before vacation a floor lamp and a Brunswick were presented to the chapter house.

Ruth Spencer has left college and is at her home in Denver. Janet Keating is living in Rochester, Minn.

27 January 1927 Ruth McCormick

Engagements announced: Caroline Albers to Harry Hilton, A T Ω ; Josephine Peters to Vernon Le Clerg, Σ X; Winifred Watson to Earl Carey, $\Sigma \Phi$ E.

Mrs F. R. Pool of Denver alumnæ was a luncheon guest at the chapter house in Jan.

Martha Fish Melcher visited the chapter Jan. 27-29.

Kathryn Bauder attended the state music convention in Denver and sang at its banquet.

Married: Evelyn Thomson and R. W. Morris. Address: 944 Marion st. Denver, Colo.

Beta Delta-University of Arizona

The campus has seen many administrative upheavals the past few months. Because the irreconcilable faction of faculty and Board of regents could not work in harmony with him, Dr Marvin felt it best to resign his position as president of the University of Arizona.

Along with this, a bill was presented in the legislature proposing to do away with fraternities on the campus. For a time, there was great anxiety shown by fraternity members, alumni as well as college. With great effort they succeeded in having the bill killed. At different times the legislators have tried to push such a bill through. After Dr Marvin resigned, the legislature gave him a vote of thanks for all that he had done for the university. Due to conditions on the campus, and the student body, seemingly lead by fraternity people, endeavoring to pass a resolution favoring Dr Marvin's resignation as the only solution, the legislature was lead to believe that the campus was run entirely by fraternity men who had no respect for the legislature in its vote of thanks to the president. Thus, advocates of the anti-fraternity bill found it a good time to introduce such a measure. The legislature soon learned the truth of the matter-that the students didn't pass the resolution and only expressed their wish to have the affair settled as quickly as possible for the good of the university.

As yet, no one has been appointed to replace Dr Marvin.

The entire campus was quarantined for scarlet fever for four days. Quarantine was then lifted except on Maricopa hall, whose resident girls had to go in a special guarded body to dining hall and to examinations.

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Mary Frances Munds

Born to Mr and Mrs J. B. Duerson (Luella Campbell) a son, John, jr, in Dec.

Ellen Bolton Herndon has returned after spending several weeks in Calif.

Babe Salmon Lockie has returned to Calif. after spending a few weeks with her parents in Bisbee.

Agnes Kruse is attending Sawyers business college in Los Angeles, Calif.

Viola Steinfelt has returned from New York.

Mrs Loring, Alpha, is spending the winter here. Louise Connor is planning to go abroad soon.

Mary and Thyra Catlin have just announced their engagements and both will be married in the summer.

Beta Epsilon-Oregon State College

December 11, after we had had a most satisfying Holiday feast, chicken, dressing, cranberry jelly, and all the delicacies accompanying them, Santa Claus made his annual visit to us. Every girl was made glad, and Beta Epsilon was supremely happy to be presented with a mahogany console table from her pledges. Mrs Smith, our house-mother, made us a gift of a magazine rack. We regretted taking our Christmas tree down the next Monday, but we knew our thoughts should be concentrated on final examinations rather than Christmas joys and happinesses.

January 3, we were all back again, standing in registration line the whole day, with the long pink slips in our hands, and weary on our feet. Three of our girls were unable to return this quarter: Margaret Brandes, freshman; Georgia Wright, sophomore, and Betty Lively, junior. We miss them, too.

Beta Epsilon is pleased to announce the pledging of Eleanor Kase. Eleanor is playing the leading rôle in *Captain Applejack*, to be produced by the classes in community drama.

Eleanor Eakins, senior and chapter president, and Eleanor Kase won further recognition by being pledged to National col-

legiate players January 14.

We are attending gym classes in the new Women's building, opened this term. We feel as if we were dreaming in the white tiled swimming tank, the mirror-walled dancing room, and the

plays' and games' rooms.

Instead of women's fraternities holding open house for fraternity men last term, waffle breakfasts were given, four houses being the hostesses at each of the five breakfasts December 22. Each man was charged thirty-five cents, and ten cents for each additional waffle. The money was turned over to Y.W.C.A. Theta was hostess with Kappa Kappa Gamma, Pi Beta Phi, and Alpha Omicron Pi.

Alpha Xi has invited us to celebrate Founders'-day with her January 30. We will drive to Eugene and arrive there at four o'clock. The freshmen of the two chapters will entertain. We are looking forward to celebrating Kappa Alpha Theta's birthday. Such events really inspire and convince us that we can do nothing too great for Theta.

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Flora McCoy

Beta Zeta-Oklahoma State College

We had our Christmas party the night before we all went home for the holidays. From our large Christmas tree gifts were exchanged between members and pledges. In addition, each girl received a comical gift which added much mirth and zest to the party. Many alumnæ, parents and friends, as well as chapter and pledges, presented the house with pretty and useful gifts.

We are proud to announce the initiation of our fifteen pledges January 22. They are: Alice Hunt, Betty Haas, Dorothy Adams, Mrs Irene Bishop, Beatrice Dilliner, Doris Hertzler, Jessie Crielly, Jimmie Mehlin, Margie Lou Boylan, Annafaye Dowling, Ona Mae McAlister, Dorothy Green, Lois Le Suer, Lelah Clow, and Virginia Bailey.

We are proud of a new pledge, Elizabeth Ditzler, freshman, from Altus, Oklahoma.

Oklahoma City alumnæ entertained Alpha Omicron and Beta Zeta with the annual banquet celebrating Founders'-day January 29 at Oklahoma City. This is the only time of the year that the two college chapters of this state have a chance to get together and is, therefore, a much looked forward to event. Mrs Weaver, our District president, was with us this year. Twenty-four of our girls went down, the largest number that has ever attended from our chapter.

Mrs Weaver will visit the chapter while she is in the state. We will entertain for our hostess, Miss Alice Lundsford of Oklahoma City, with a Valentine tea bridge February 12. At the same time we will also entertain for the mothers of members living in town.

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Sarissa Hoge

Married, Dorothy Pruitt and Kendall Hert, K A.

Alumnæ back for initiation: Mrs Frances Stewart Smith, Mrs Frances Sorey Hill, Mrs Lovenia Boen Fuson, and Marie Campbell.

Marie Campbell and Betty Ruth Eldridge have entered the University of Oklahoma this semester.

Born to Mr and Mrs Deane Bishop (Goldia Jones) a daughter, Jane Bishop.

Beta Eta-University of Pennsylvania

Founders'-day was celebrated with a banquet at the Penn Athletic club by Philadelphia alumnæ, Alpha Beta, and Beta Eta. We were fortunate in having Mrs Orton Lowe, Pennsylvania state chairman, as guest of honor.

Our Christmas holidays were a round of entertainment. First, a fat, jolly old Santa Claus, in the person of Eleanor

Raab, brought us each a gift at our annual Christmas party. On Christmas Eve, we all had dinner at the home of Martha Henwood. Imagine thirty people around one dining-room table! On New Year's day we were entertained at bridge by Marjorie Porter. Our latest party is to be February 10, at the home of Dorothy Galloway. It is to be a farewell dinner for Elizabeth Ruster, who just graduated. We certainly regret her departure, for she has been one of the brightest lights of the chapter.

This winter marks a new epoch in the history of our campus organizations. Both W.S.G.A. and W.A.A. are considering affiliation with their national organizations. W.A.A. is conducting a survey of the activities of other athletic associations. Y.W.C.A. most enthusiastically sponsored the Milwaukee Stu-

dent conference.

An attempt is being made to amalgamate campus dramatics, in order that all students shall receive the benefit of all the organizations. A personnel staff in the School of education is now directing its welfare most efficiently. The honor code, but recently instituted here, is functioning on a real working basis. Y.W.C.A. has established the open forum on campus. It is an unqualified success—bringing many fine speakers, and opening up new lines of thought.

The May day production will be *The shoemaker's holiday*, by Decker. *Péle mele*, a dramatic effort of lighter nature, also looms in the future. This is an evening devoted to the presentation of skits and songs by each class, cups being awarded the best. High school students of the vicinity are invited to attend, thus creating an interest in the university, as well as keeping

up campus spirit.

Jeanne Emery was pledged in January. Initiation will be February 19, at the home of Ethel Rumpp, Cynwyd. The ban-

quet will be at the Cynwyd club.

Dorothy Galloway has been elected to Mortar board. Jeanne Emery and Helen Pennypacker were delegates to the Milwaukee student conference. Ethel Jones has been appointed business manager of *Péle mele*. Charlotte Flack, pledge, was woman's chairman of the C.A. building drive for freshmen, and six Theta pledges served as captains during the drive. The honorary all-university hockey team included six Theta names.

3 February 1927 Ethel F. Jones

Florence Crush, a member of the University of Pennsylvania faculty, will receive an M.A. in sociology Feb. 12.

Margaret Thorpe has passed the Philadelphia City examinations.

Eleanor Wilkie's engagement to Edmund Hauff, Pennsylvania Law '24, has been announced.

Married: Frances Q. Holsopple and Judson Parsons. They are living in Rochester, N.Y.

Beta Iota—University of Colorado

Junior Prom activities overshadowed everything else during the week-end of January 21. Festivities started with dinners at the fraternity houses, followed by the prom with dancing privileges until 1:30. During the next two days there were luncheons and tea dances at the women's fraternity houses and round-robin dances and teas at the men's fraternity houses. Twenty-five Thetas attended the Prom.

Denver alumnæ entertained Beta Iota and Beta Gamma at a Founders'-day tea January 29. Each girl attending the tea gave two dollars to a fund, that added to from time to time, will be used to purchase necessary things for the two college chapters.

Initiation was January 29 for Verna Nellis, Evelyn Reiter, Helen Kauffman (daughter of Juta Phillips, Kappa), Grace Garoutte, Mildred Meyer, Catherine McIntosh (sister of Margaret), Genevieve Frame (sister of Marjorie), Opal Rogers, Ila Scott, and Edith Walker.

Virginia Sleeper, Genevieve Frame, Florence Northcutt, Madge Conners, and Helen Service have been chosen for chorus parts in the Boosters' club operetta, *Maids from Moronia* to be given February 25. Genevieve Frame, Margaret Graham, Jean Hershey and Virginia Close have parts in the Woman's league vaudeville January 28. Mildred Meyer and Genevieve Frame were in the cast of the Little theater plays in December.

At Christmas our newly organized Mothers' club gave us china to complete our dinner set; Denver alumnæ gave us silver; Mrs Pleasants, one of our mothers, a picture of the Christ child; Frances Buchanen, some linen; Elizabeth Hum and Virginia Antrim, each a silver creamer and sugar; and Florence Field and Gladys Motto, transfers from Beta Gamma, a vase.

25 January 1927 Katherine Segerberg

Married: Florence McClung to Kenneth Todd, Σ X, Jan. 1. Married: Kathryn Farnsworth to Arthur Heiner, Σ A E, Jan. 29. Dorothy Ford of Denver attended the Junior Prom.

Beta Kappa—Drake University

Our formal dinner dance February 4 will be a brilliant ball at the Hotel Fort Des Moines. Our competent social chairman, Beth Shawver, is in charge. We are proud to say that one of our girls, Katherine Allen, wrote the plot for this year's musical comedy. It is a farce on the bold, bad west, entitled *Traders in love*. Try-outs are the first week in February and the girls are planning to turn out en massé to be young actresses for a while.

Recently there was a Drake night at the Princess, and four Theta Pep girls, Elsie Amend, Ruth Cheeseman, Esther Utterback and Charlotte Dickson sold candies.

Dorothy Wright, senior, has been honored by election to English club.

During the Christmas holidays sixty Thetas in Des Moines held a reunion at the Harris-Emery tea room.

Founders'-day banquet will be an elaborate party at the Younker tea room, quite the nicest thing of the year for all Thetas.

Beta Kappa is glad to announce the pledging on January 31, of Maribee Swanson (Theta daughter), and Elizabeth Milnor, both of Des Moines, and Gertrude Guinney of Sioux City.

1 February 1927

Charlotte Dickson

Born to Mr and Mrs Harold Eckey (Margaret Mather) a son, Thomas Mather.

Married in Santurce, Porto Rico, Jan. 28, Evelyn Carpenter and Harold M. Smith. Address: 60 Luchette st. Santurce, P.R.

Beta Mu-University of Nevada

Beta Mu again ranks first in scholarship among all fraternities at Nevada, with the highest group average ever made on this campus. Florence Billinghurst headed the honor roll with nineteen hours of straight ones. Eva Adams and Ellen Harrington also made the honor roll.

January 6 Beta Mu pledged Idele Anderson of San Francisco, California.

Betty and Donna Dove returned this semester and are living at the house.

Volleyball season ended last week. Isabel Loring, Mae Bernasconi, Lucile Summerfield, Eva Adams and Idele Anderson made their class teams. Gertrude Wycoff, Eva Adams, Mae Bernasconi, Isabel Loring and Idele Anderson made the varsity rifle team.

At the last class elections Thelma Prey was chosen vice-president of senior class; Mae Bernasconi, vice-president and Eva Adams, secretary of junior class; and Evelyn Turner, secretary of freshman class. Florence Billinghurst was reëlected president of Delta Alpha Epsilon, English society. Betty Sue

Shaw has been elected vice-president and Ellen Harrington, secretary of Campus players, dramatic club. Frances Nelson was chosen secretary-treasurer of Commerce club.

In December the pledges entertained the chapter and alumnæ with a stunt party and buffet supper at the house. After the stunts Santa Claus presented the house with many lovely gifts.

Ellen Harrington was presented with an Italic N at the last student-body meeting. Italic N's are awarded by the *Sagebrush*, the university paper, for exceptional work done by staff members.

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Frances Nelson

Born to Mr and Mrs George Quinn (Thelma Porter) a son George William III, Jan. 11.

Mr and Mrs Louis G. Trabert are now living in Tonopah, Nev.

Beta Nu-Florida State College for Women

December 11, Beta Nu entertained the pledges with a Christmas party. Skits showing Theta spirit were enjoyed. There was much fun over the characteristic gifts the pledges received from their chapter mothers. The social committee dressed as Italian street venders greeted us with "Merry Christmas" and served coffee, hot-dogs, bananas, and candy.

The chapter was delighted with its Christmas gifts—a floor lamp from the pledges; a table lamp from Dr Tilt and Miss Sandels; a card table from Miss West; a vase from Velma Ruth Powers; a lemon dish from Elizabeth Whalton; and salad forks from Marion Watkins.

We have added two new ideas to our program: a point system for members as well as pledges; and prayer meeting at the house just before light flash.

Roger Babson, well-known statistician and economist, spoke to the student body January 8. The Welsh singers gave an entertainment January 12. The Russian symphonic choir was here January 27.

Ernestine Gore gave a special dance in the junior-freshmen fealty ceremony.

Milly and Julia Ellis entertained the chapter with a lovely bridge party January 15.

We regret that Helen Hensen, pledge, had to leave college on account of illness.

Among our visitors have been Catherine Ferguson and Mary Louise Holderman, Alpha, and Mrs Martha Hansen Irwin, Beta Iota.

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Olivia Futch

Mary Trevor and Marion Watkins are teaching in Ft. Myers. Marjorie Graham and Nancy Miller are in Bradenton. Helen Beach is teaching at Grand Island. Theodore Thompson is making a trip around the world. Inez Turner McDowell (Mrs David) is teaching in Miami.

Beta Xi-University of California-Southern Branch

Spring semester begins the second week of February, preceded by one week of holiday. We have made plans for a mountain house party which bids fair to be a memorable event. Rushing begins with open house the first Sunday of rush week; pledging being the following week. During Christmas vacation we entertained rushees at tea.

Our pledges were hostesses at a dance for the chapter in November. The decorations were cleverly carried out in black and gold. December 17 the members entertained with a fathers' supper, which is an annual event of the fall semester. The chapter gave an informal dance December 27, much of the success of which was due to Barbara Brinckerhoff. January 17, Omicron chapter actives were our guests at dinner.

Barbara Brinckerhoff had the lead in *The Admiral Crichton*, produced by Kap and bells, campus dramatic society. Barbara has recently been initiated into Prytanean, women's honor society. Lois Fee, chapter president, is a member of Pi Kappa

Pi and Chi Delta Phi, journalistic clubs.

The new campus at Westwood is still in the planning stage. A problem of obtaining land on which to build chapter houses has arisen, and fraternities are organizing to obtain the best available situations.

Beta Theta Pi and Alpha Tau Omega recently installed chapters on this campus.

1 February 1927

Elma Giuras

Joyce Turner and Druzella Goodwin are working for their M.A. degrees at Occidental college.

Marian Whitaker is working for an M.A. degree at Berkeley. Elizabeth Wellborn is in Egypt.

Helen Neil is studying at Berkeley.

Beta Omicron—University of Iowa

As a chapter during the last two months, we have done some dancing, a little rushing, and much cramming for exams. Our party December 11 was such a success that we wanted another one after the holidays.

We have pledged Mary Lingenfelter, freshman from Des Moines, and Mildred Sailor, niece of Ruth Sailor, who is a freshman also. Mary Lingenfelter was one of the women's doubles champions in tennis last fall.

Anne Beman and Carol Egland both graduated with honors at mid-year. Anne will do graduate work here, while Carol will be in commercial art work in Chicago. We feel their loss, for both are model Thetas.

We celebrated Founders'-day with an informal dinner at the Iowa Memorial union January 29. Marion Ask, Mabel Crooks, Milicent Ritter, and Ruth Sailor were the alumnæ of our own chapter present.

Millicent Ritter has the leading part in the university Glee club's opera, *Chimes of Normandy*, in which Lila Mae Morgan has a minor lead.

We cannot get official grades for pledges until about March 1, so our initiation has to be delayed until then.

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Gwendolyn Moore

Dr Zella White Stewart (Mu and Iota) is taking an extended trip through the southwestern and western states. She expects to be back some time in Feb.

Beta Pi-Michigan State College

With winter term well begun Beta Pi has an opportunity to stop for breath and reflection. At the women's Athletic association luncheon, December 4, Emma Hyde was presented with a State monogram for winning one-thousand points. She is also volleyball manager. Before leaving for the holiday vacation, we dressed dolls for Y.W.C.A. and gave a miscellaneous shower for the chapter house which received, besides many useful gifts, serving spoons from the freshmen, a fire basket from Verlynn Moore, Marion Clegg and Dorothy MacWood, and an electric sweeper. Lansing Theta alumnæ club gave us a loving-cup. They also entertained the seniors at dinner December 7, at Mrs Stoffer's, and the juniors at dinner and bridge January 6, at Mrs H. R. Hunt's. High score went to Emma Hyde.

Harlequins, chorus ladies, and pirates danced at the annual Adamless co-ed Prom January 8. Frances Ayres dressed as a colonial lady received the first prize for the loveliest costume, while Marguerite Clark, resembling the typical "dumb frosh," received honorable mention for the funniest.

Sigma Alpha Epsilon has given a chapter to the Columbian literary society, installation to take place February 19.

Margaret Matthews and Emma Hyde were on committees in charge of Y.W.C.A. carnival, January 19, at which each woman's fraternity furnished a booth and stunt. Ruth Marsh Bobertz returned to college this term. Edith Comstock is living at the

practice house.

Ruth Ketcham is assisting in the selection of the cast of 106 for *That's that*, the Union opera production. Among the members of the cast are: Margaret Strong, Alice MacWood, Betty Murray, Esther Darling, Esther Hall, Celeste Doyle, Cecile Nichols, Marguerite Clark, Charlotte Ambrose, Marguerite McComb and Helen Murdock.

The chapter is busy with plans for Founders'-day and initiation January 29.

26 January 1927

Margaret Partlow

Lucille Gardner Mills (Mrs Lucius) is living at 314 W. 107th st.

Edna Brown is doing extension work in Home economics. Her address is Court House, Virginia, Minn.

Mu-Allegheny College

Mrs Overturf, our District president, paid us the long looked-forward-to visit. We enjoyed having her so much and are so proud of her. She was guest of honor at our fall party held at the Hotel Bartlett, Cambridge Springs.

We had our Founders'-day banquet at the Hotel Lafayette it came during exam time but that didn't mar the occasion and

we certainly gave the event its proper celebration.

Our sophomores gave the annual dinner in the fraternity rooms—and besides being good Thetas we must say they are also good cooks. We all were sorry that it was not a weekly event. A unique feature of the dinner was the unexpected announcement by way of telegram of one of our girls—and of course the traditional five pounds of candy followed.

Lois Ann Alter showed her poetic ability by submitting a poem to the Allegheny literary monthly, the college literary magazine. The poem was entitled Where young ambition tries

its wings and we are proud of our rising poet.

Frances Bond is a member and officer of Phi Sigma Iota. Eleanor Brown has been elected to Quill club. Jane Williams is a member of Le Petite Salon. Helen Knight is assistant-man-

ager of the Girls glee club.

Mrs Church, wife of the professor of French, during the Christmas holidays gave a lovely tea in her home for our town members in honor of her husband's mother and sister who are Thetas. At present Dr Church and his family are enjoying a trip abroad during his leave of absence.

1 February 1927

Charlotted Grace Erdman

Ruth Potter has transferred to Syracuse university.

Elizabeth Arnold has been promoted to a teacher's position in the new Taylor Alderdice high school in Pittsburgh.

Catherine Corbett is working for the Ohio State Journal, Columbus,

Ohio.

Marion L. Wise's engagement to George Allen, Δ T Δ , is announced. Blanche Bascom Robinson is teaching at the State normal school, Shippensburg, Pa.

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